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ROLL OF HONOUR.

IN MEMORIAM.

BRACKEN—March 22, 1918, killed in action, Corporal Hugh Alexander Bracken, Royal Warwickshire Regiment, eldest son of the late Arthur Bracken, Beech Villa, Magherafelt, and dearly-loved nephew of Richard Bracken, Hazlewood.

GROSS—In proud and loving memory of Wm. Arthur Henry, died at St. Quentin, 22nd March, 1918, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Gross, 161 Richmond rd.

He holds no parley with unmanly fears,
Where duty calls he confidently steers.
Faces a thousand dangers at her call,
And, trusting in his God, surmounts them all.

LEMON—In loving memory of David Wardlaw Lemon, M.C., Second Lieutenant, Leinster Regiment, who fell in action, near Villers Faucon, France, on 22nd March, 1918, aged 23 years.

McGOVERN—In loving memory of T. A. McGovern, South Irish Horse, late Registrar-General's Department, killed in action, at Ronsoy, 21st March, 1918. Deeply mourned by his father, mother, sister, and brothers. May his soul rest in peace.

O'DONNELL—In sad and loving memory of Dr. Fredrick Albert O'Donnell, who was wounded and captured at the Dressing Station, Ronsoy, near Epehy, on March 21st, 1918, and died prisoner of war on March 23rd, 1918. Buried at Malincourt. R.I.P.

QUIGLEY—In sad and loving memory of Christopher Quigley, Second Lieutenant, R.D.F., killed in action, in France, 21st March, 1918, eldest son of Patrick and Mary Quigley, St. John's Gardens, Island Bridge, Dublin. R.I.P.

STARR—In loving memory of Lieutenant (Acting Captain) Arthur James Starr, 9th Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers (youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Starr, Newtownhamilton, Co. Armagh), who fell in action, at St. Quentin, on 22nd March, 1918.

TIERNEY—First Anniversary—In loving memory of Patrick (Paddy) Tierney, who was killed in France March 22nd, 1918.

Forget him—no, we never will,
As time rolls on we miss him still.

Inserted by his fond parents, sisters, and brother.

BIRTHS.

WALLACE—March 17, 1919, at 4 Lansdowne tce., Limerick, to Mr. and Mrs. J. N. A. Wallace, a son.

WOODROW—March 10, 1919, at Mountmellick, the wife of Rev. J. Woodrow, The Manse, Adare, a son.

MARRIAGE.

O'MALLEY and AMERI—March 15, 1919, at Serravalle, Scrivia, Alessandria, Italy, Lieutenant E. & Charles O'Malley, R.A.S.C., eldest son of Doctor O'Malley, J.P., and Mrs. O'Malley, Clondoyle House, Glennamaddy, to Natalina Angela Maria Ameri, younger daughter of Davido Ameri, of Serravalle, Scrivia, Alessandria, Italy.

DEATHS.

BAGWELL—March 20, 1919, at Hove, Sussex, Frederick Taylor Bagwell, eldest son of the late John Bagwell, Lisronagh, Co. Tipperary.

BECKETT—March 20, 1919, at her residence, Ballinew, Castlebar, Jane, widow of the late Alexander Beckett, Moyhenna House, Moyhenna, Castlebar. "We know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved we have a building of God, an house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens," ii. Corinthians, 5, 1.

BLAKE—March 19, 1919, at her residence, 24 Clarinda Park, W., Kingstown, Adelaide, the last surviving child of Henry Blake and Adelaide Blake, otherwise French, late of Ballyglunin, Co. Galway, aged 88 years. R.I.P.

BYRNE—March 20, 1919, at a Private Nursing Home, Joseph I. Byrne, of Ballybohill, only surviving son of the late Joseph H. Byrne, of Ballybohill. Funeral strictly private.

COLLINS—March 20, 1919, at Ballinasloe, Elise Henrietta, wife of Thomas Tenison Collins, and daughter of Charles Capt, of Lausanne. Funeral private. No flowers.

COOPER—March 17, 1919, suddenly, at his residence, William B. Cooper, 19 Upper Dominick st., late of Leadbetter, Jewellers, Essex quay. "Thy will be done." American papers please copy.

CROFTON—March 19, 1919, at Lisburn, Helen Augusta, third daughter of the late Rev. John Crofton, Rector of Portnashangan, and granddaughter of the late Duke Crofton, D.L., of Lakefield, Co. Leitrim.

FETHERSTONHAUGH—March 20, 1919, at Cork, the result of a motor car accident, Captain A. E. H. Fetherstonhaugh, 14th Hussars, only son of Captain C. Fetherstonhaugh, Brocklyon. Funeral will take place at Rathconnell Church, Co. Westmeath, 12 p.m., Monday, 24th.

GILMORE—March 21, 1919, Lavina Gilmore, second daughter of late Dr. T. C. Gilmore, Malin. "Peace, perfect peace."

GRANT—March 20, 1919, at 31 Northumberland av., Kingstown, Co. Dublin, Archibald Peter Brown Grant, eldest son of the late Alexander Grant, Fir Hill, Monkstown, Co. Cork.

GUILBRIDE—March 20, 1919, at Weston, Newtownbarry, Francis Guilbride, J.P., F.R.S.A.I. Funeral to-day (Saturday), 1 o'clock.

HONE—March 20, 1919, at his residence, Palermo, Killiney, William Hone, eldest son of the late Joseph Hone. Funeral, Monday, 24th, at 9.30, for Dean's Grange.

JACOB—March 20, 1919, at her residence, 16 Newtown rd., Waterford, Henrietta Harvey Jacob, daughter of the late Elizabeth and T. S. Harvey, and widow of the late Louis Jacob, aged 70.

JOHNSTON—March 20, 1919, the result of an accident, Alfred Wade, youngest and dearly-loved son of Mrs. Johnston, 28 University st., Belfast, aged 18 years. Funeral to-day (Saturday), 2.30 p.m.

JOHNSTON—March 19, 1919, at a Nursing Home, Ellen Johnston, 4 Tempé tce., Dalkey, widow of Robert Johnston, Barrister-at-Law, late of Albert House, Ballsbridge. Funeral private.

JOLLEY—March 19, 1919, at Dargle Lodge, Templeogue, Samuel, infant and darling son of William V. and Gertrude Jolley. "Suffer the little children to come unto Me." Interment took place yesterday (Friday), 21st, at Kilternan.

McGRATH—March 21, 1919, at a Private Nursing Home in Dublin, Mary, elder and dearly-loved daughter of Daniel J. and Julia McGrath, Carlow, aged 16 years. R.I.P. Funeral to-day (Saturday), at 5.15 p.m., from Carlow Railway Station to New Cemetery. No flowers.

O'BRIEN—March 21, 1919, at Cork st. Hospital, Nellie O'Brien, aged 22, late of Westport. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband and friends. R.I.P. Funeral to-morrow (Sunday) from Hospital, 11 o'clock, to Glasnevin Cemetery.

SMITH—March 20, 1919, at his residence, 93 Clonliffe rd., James Bramwell Smith, aged 65 years. Deeply mourned by loving wife and children. "Thy will be done."

SPENCER—March 18, 1919, at the Adelaide Hospital, Hannah, widow of the late Robert Spencer. "Peace, perfect peace." Interred at Dean's Grange.

STITT—March 21, 1919, at 231 Richmond rd., Fairview, James H. Stitt. Deeply regretted. Funeral, Monday, 9 o'clock, Mount Jerome.

WARING—At his residence, Lisnacree, Co. Down, Captain Holt Waring, late Resident Magistrate, aged 83 years.

WELDON—March 20, 1919, at 25 Marguerite rd., of heart failure, following influenza, Maria, widow of the late George Weldon, M.D., Gorey, Co. Wexford. Funeral leaves at 11 o'clock on Monday for Mount Jerome.

WEYMES—March 20, 1919, at his residence, Kinnegad, Thomas Weymes, Wool Merchant, father of Patrick J. Weymes, Wool Merchant, Mullingar. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Office and High Mass to-day (Saturday) at Kinnegad Church at 11 o'clock. Funeral to Coralstown Cemetery, at 2 o'clock, same day.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Miss Barr, The Round House, Lucan, returns sincere thanks to the many kind friends who sympathised with her in her recent sorrow, and trusts they will accept this in grateful acknowledgment.

Mr. M. J. Halligan, Mrs. MacAvin, and family beg to return sincere thanks to those who so kindly tendered messages of sympathy on the occasion of their recent bereavement, and trust that this grateful acknowledgment will be accepted by all.

Mr. Tittle and family, "Allermuir," Foxrock, desire to return sincere thanks to the many friends who, by letter and telegram, have sympathised with them in their recent and sudden bereavement, and trust they will accept this acknowledgment.

IN MEMORIAM.

BLACKHAM—March 21, 1909—In loving memory of our dear sister (Janie), Jane Gregory Blackham, late 145 Tritonville rd., Sandymount.

DAVIS—In loving memory of Mary Davis, of 63 Harcourt st., who died 23rd March, 1918. "They never die who live in hearts that love."

EAGAR—In loving memory of our darling "Nora," who fell asleep 21st March, 1917. "Safe in the arms of Jesus."

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MISSING since 21st of March, 1918, Lance-Corporal A. Braithwaite, 10230 2nd Royal Irish Regiment. Could any comrade give any information about him to his mother? She will be greatly obliged.—Mrs. Braithwaite, 12 Bootham square, Bootham, York.

DEMOBILISATION.

ALL Past Members of the Dublin Battalion of the Boys' Brigade who have been O.H.M.S. are asked to Parade at the Battalion Demonstration on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY NEXT in R.D.S. Central Hall, Ballsbridge, at 8 p.m. The G.O.C.-in-Chief has granted permission for all ranks to wear uniform, whether still serving or not. Admission to general public as usual.

MONKSTOWN HOSPITAL.

THE Committee thankfully acknowledge the receipt of £20 as a donation from the Royal Naval Base, Kingstown, to the funds of the Hospital. Monkstown, March 21st, 1919.

ARMY WOMEN'S HOSTEL, 26 SOUTH FREDERICK STREET, DUBLIN (formerly the Hostel for Soldiers' and Sailors' Wives, 37 North Great George's street). Notice of CLOSING. The Committee has decided to Close this Hostel on the 31st March (instant), as the premises are required for other purposes, and the need for the Hostel has largely diminished.—A. M FULLERTON, Hon. Treasurer. 21st March, 1919.

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NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

In the Goods of

JOHN O'CONNELL DE LA HOYDE (otherwise known as O'Connell John De la Hoyde), late of 47 Rutland Square, W., Dublin, F.R.C.S.I., Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., C. 54, that the above-named Deceased, by his Will dated 3rd August, 1906, made the following Bequests—viz., £100 to the Royal Medical Benevolent Fund of Ireland, £50 to the Glasnevin Orphanage St. Vincent de Paul, £50 to the Orphanage known as St. Saviour's, Denmark street, Dublin; £25 to St. Joseph's Orphanage, Mountjoy street; £25 to the Hospice for the Dying, Harold's Cross; and he also thereby bequeathed the following sums for Masses to be said in public in Ireland—viz., £25 to the Parish Priest and Curates equally of St. Paul's, Arran quay, at the time of his death; £25 to the Parish Priest and Curates equally of St. Michan's, Anne street, at the time of his death; £25 to the Parish Priest and Curates equally at the time of his death of St. Mary's, Marlborough street; £25 to the Rev. P. A. Murphy, O.P., St. Saviour's, Dominick street; and the Deceased devised and bequeathed the ground rent of the houses, Nos. 11 to 20, inclusive, Munster street, Phibsborough, amounting to about £25 net yearly, after the death of the 1st survivor of his three sisters, Mary Frances De la Hoyde, Kate De la Hoyde, and Teresa Mason, to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul for the use and benefit of the Glasnevin Orphanage, to maintain at least one boy in the Institution.

Probate of the said Will, with one Codicil, was granted at Dublin on the 28th February, 1919, to the said Kate De la Hoyde, of 47 Rutland square, W., aforesaid, one of the Executors.

Dated this 15th March, 1919.

RYAN and O'BRIEN, Solicitors for the said Kate De la Hoyde, 35 Stephen's Green, N., Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland and all others concerned.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

In the Goods of

JAMES HAYES, late of Shinrone, in the King's County, Retired Coachman, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Victoria, cap. 54, that James Hayes, late of Shinrone, in the King's County, Retired Coachman, Deceased, who died on or about the 26th day of January, 1919, by his Will, dated the 11th day of September, 1918, bequeathed to the Church of Ireland out of his Consolidated Stock the sum of £50, the income thereof to be expended exclusively for the benefit of the Church of Ireland Parish of Shinrone; to the Protestant Orphan Society, King's County, £25; to the Deaf and Dumb Society (Protestant), South of Ireland Branch, £20; to the Hibernian Bible Society, £10; to Mrs. Smilie's Homes, Dublin, £10.

The said Testator appointed Richard McCorduck, of Roscrea, sole Executor of the said Will, and on the 4th day of March, 1919, Probate of the said Will was granted to the said Richard McCorduck forth of the District Registry at Mullingar of the High Court of Justice in Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate).

Dated this 18th day of March, 1919.

E. P. G. BRIDGE, Solicitor for the said Executor, Roscrea, and 5 Clare street, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Bequests and Donations for Ireland, and to all whom it may concern.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of

JOHN O'CONNELL DE LA HOYDE (otherwise known as O'Connell John De la Hoyde), late of 47 Rutland square, W., in the City of Dublin, F.R.C.S.I., Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., C. 35, that written particulars of all claims against the estate of the above-named Deceased, who died 28th November, 1918, must be furnished on or before the 14th April, 1919, to the undersigned Solicitors for Miss Kate De la Hoyde, the Executrix, to whom Probate of Deceased's Will, with one Codicil, was granted at Dublin on the 28th February, 1919. And Notice is hereby further given that the assets of the said Deceased will be distributed immediately after the said 14th April, 1919, having regard only to the claims of which particulars shall have been furnished as above required.

Dated this 12th day of March, 1919.

RYAN and O'BRIEN, Solicitors for said Executrix, 35 Stephen's Green, N., Dublin.

Pursuant to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice in Ireland, Made in the Matter of the Estate of MATTHEW BRIEN, Deceased, and in a cause "Brien v. Brien" (1918, No. 915).

All persons claiming to be Incumbrancers affecting:—

(1) Part of the Lands of Drumbawn, containing 22 acres 1 rood 10 perches, situated in the Barony of Newcastle and County of Wicklow, held at a Judicial Rent of £8 10/-, in respect of which an agreement to purchase for £176 the Fee-simple under the Irish Land Act, 1903, was entered into by the said Matthew Brien, Deceased;

(2) Another Part of the Lands of Drumbawn, situated in the said barony and county, containing 72 acres 3 roods and 22 perches, held at a Judicial rent of £15 10/-, and in respect of which an agreement to purchase for £365 the Fee-simple under the Irish Land Act, 1903, was entered into by one James Cullen, a predecessor in title of the said Matthew Brien, Deceased;

(3) Another Part of the Lands of Drumbawn, situated in the said barony and county, containing 53 acres 2 roods and 30 perches, held at a Judicial Rent of £14, in respect of which an agreement to purchase for £330 the Fee-simple under the Irish Land Act, 1903, was entered into by one William Mason, a predecessor in title of Intestate;

(4) Part of the Lands of Ballinacooltia, containing 43 acres and 35 perches, or thereabouts, Statute measure, situate in the Electoral Division of Altidore, Barony of Newcastle and County of Wicklow, and Part of the Lands of Drumbawn, containing 3 acres and 20 perches, or thereabouts, like measure, situate as aforesaid, being the lands registered on Folio No. 3323, County of Wicklow, Land Registry of Ireland, are, by their Solicitors, to enter and prove their claims at the Chambers of the Hon. Mr. Justice Powell, Four Courts, City of Dublin, on or before the 21st day of April, 1919, or, in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every Claimant holding any security is to produce same before the said Hon. Mr. Justice Powell, at his Chambers, Four Courts, Dublin, on the 28th day of April, 1919, at 10.30 of the clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Dated this 18th day of March, 1919.

THOS. W. ELLERKER, Chief Clerk.

HARRIS and GREENE, Solicitors, 6 Lower Abbey street, Dublin.

IN THE MATTER OF ANDREW BARR, late of Aghderrig, Lucan, Co. Dublin, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of the above Deceased will please forthwith furnish particulars of same to the undermentioned Solicitors for the Executors.

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TAKE NOTICE, that MATILDA GREGORY, late of 5 Upper Sherrard street, Dublin, Spinster, by her Will, bearing date the 9th day of May, 1918, proved by her Executors, Miss Maria Gregory, of 6 Lower Fitzwilliam street, and John M. Maxwell, of 40 North Great George's street, Dublin, Solicitor, on the 3rd day of February, 1919, bequeathed the following Charitable Legacies, viz.:—

To her Executors £100, to procure four hundred Masses, to be celebrated in St. Francis Xavier's Church, Upper Gardiner street, Dublin, for the repose of her own soul, and a further sum of £25 for one hundred Masses in same Church for the repose of the souls of her father, mother, brothers, and sisters.

To her Executors £20, to have Masses celebrated at Mount Melleray, Cappoquin, County Waterford, for the repose of her own soul, and a further sum of £30, for Masses at Mount Melleray for the repose of the souls of her brother, Thomas Gregory, and his wife, Bridget Gregory.

To the Treasurer at the date of her death of the Coal Fund for the Poor attached to St. Francis Xavier's Church, aforesaid, £25, for the benefit of said Fund.

To the Treasurer at the time of her death of the Creche connected with Gardiner street Church, £20.

To the Sisters of Charity, Upper Gardiner street, £10, for the Poor visited by them.

To the Treasurer at the time of her death of the Penny Dinners Fund attached to the Church at Upper Gardiner street, £10.

To the Sacred Heart Home, Drumcondra, for the charitable purposes of that Institution, £40.

To the Superioress of the Redemptoristine Convent, Drumcondra, the sum of £10, one-half to be applied for the benefit of the Poor in Drumcondra and the other half for the benefit of the Convent.

To the Reverend Mother at the time of her death of the Convent of Mercy, Newtownforbes, £10, to be applied for the Poor visited by the Sisters.

Dated this 20th day of March, 1919.

MAXWELL, WELDON and CO., Solicitors for said Executors, 40 North Great George's street, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland, and to others whom it may concern.

STATUTORY NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

In the Goods of

ELIZABETH KERANS, late of "Atherstone," Temple road, Rathmines, in the County of Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., C. 54, that the above-named Deceased, by her Will, dated 28th day of June, 1909, bequeathed inter alia in the following terms:—

1. "I bequeath to the Adelaide Hospital, Dublin, the sum of £200 free of Legacy Duty, said sum to be applied towards supporting a Child's Cot in the said Hospital, which cot I desire, if possible, to be called 'The Louie Owen Cot.'
2. "I bequeath to Lizzie Carr, of 6 Northbrook road, Dublin, or to the persons or person who may be at the time of my death in control of Miss Carr's Homes, the sum of £100, free of Legacy Duty, for the benefit of Miss Lizzie Carr's Homes for Destitute Children.
3. "I bequeath to the Church of Ireland Auxiliary Branch (Molesworth street, Dublin), of the London Society for Promoting Christianity amongst the Jews, the sum of £100, free of Legacy Duty.
4. "I bequeath to the Representative Church Body, for the benefit of the Ahascragh (County Galway) Church Assessment Fund, the sum of £50, free of Legacy Duty.
5. "I bequeath to the Home for Aged Governesses, Harcourt terrace, Adelaide road, Dublin, £50, free of Legacy Duty.
6. "I bequeath to the African Training Institute, Colwyn Bay, Wales, the sum of £50 free of Legacy Duty.
7. "I bequeath to the Soudan United Mission, Africa, £50, free of Legacy Duty.
8. "I bequeath out of the residue (if any) of my property to the Head Superintendent of the Institute known as Miss Sandes' Soldiers' Homes the sum of £100, free of Legacy Duty, to be applied for the benefit of the said Homes, subject as aforesaid."

The said Elizabeth Kerans died on the 28th day of December, 1918, and Probate of he Will, with one Codicil, was, on the 10th day of February, 1919, granted forth of the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Ireland to Thomas G. Kerans, of Atherstone, Temple road, Rathmines, in the County of Dublin, Medical Doctor, brother of Deceased, and Alfred D. Price, of "Kintullagh," Orwell Park, Rathgar, in said county, Civil Engineer, the surviving Executors named in said Will.

Dated this 21st day of March, 1919.

HOEY and DENNING, Solicitors for the Executors, 12 Trinity street, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland, and to all other persons whom it may concern.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL CHARLES HAROLD BLACKBURNE, D.S.O., Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS, pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, Cap. 35.

All persons having claims against the estate of Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Harold Blackburne, D.S.O., 5th Dragoon Guards, of Tyddyn, Mold, in the County of Flint, who died on the 10th day of October, 1918, and whose Will was proved in the Principal Registry on the 25th day of February, 1919, by Roger Percy Sing and the Reverend Harry William Blackburne, D.S.O., M.C., the Executors therein named, are required to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned, on or before the 30th day of April, 1919, after which date the Executors will distribute the estate of the Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

Dated this 19th day of March, 1919.

BAILEYS, SHAW, and GILLETT, 5 Berners street, London, W. 1, Solicitors for the Executors.

MAJOR CYRIL FRANCIS CATTLEY, M.C., Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, Chapter 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees," notice is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the Estate of Major Cyril Francis Cattley, M.C., late of The Buffs, and of Meadowbank, Dorking, in the County of Surrey, who was killed in action on or about the 30th day of November, 1917, and in whose Estate Letters of Administration were granted to Ernest Brooke Sewell, of Meadowbank, Dorking, aforesaid, out of the principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 7th day of March, 1919, are hereby required to send particulars (in writing) of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said Administrator, on or before the 1st day of May, 1919. And Notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 19th day of March, 1919.

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DANIEL FARRELL, of Rockbrook, Rathfarnham, Co. Dublin, Farmer, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of the above-named Deceased are requested to furnish particulars forthwith to

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FERMOY, Co. Cork—Wanted a competent Assistant for high class Grocery, Provision, Wine and Spirit Trade—Provision Department (indoor). Apply, enclosing references and stating salary required, to James Lombard, Queen square. F

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JUNIOR Clerk Wanted for city Merchant's Office; must be smart and accurate, and have couple years' experience. Apply, stating age, wages expected, with copies references, P 657, this office. A

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MILLINERY and Sales—Wanted, Milliner and Saleswoman as Charge; stylish trimmer and good at sales; Protestant; state salary (indoor); enclose copies of references.—"Z 2517, Milliner," this office. B

MANAGER required for Cinema in South of Ireland; electrical knowledge required and capacity to run against competition; applicant to state salary.—P 1098, this office. B

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TIMBER Trade—Bookkeeper required; must have a good knowledge of pricing and invoicing. Apply, stating age, experience, and salary expected, to "Z 2440, Bookkeeper," this office. F

TAILORS—Wanted immediately, constant work, full time all the year, Coat Hands, Indoor, Lounges; start at 14/-. Apply Ivor Evans, 18 Union st., Swansea, Wales. A

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WANTED, smart young Lady, Hosiery Department; good reference required; Irish Church.—Lucas, Roscrea. F

WANTED, Girl, about 16, for Hotel Office; previous experience not necessary; indoor; state wages. Apply "Z 2419, Girl," this office. F

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WANTED, by Insurance Company, a Shorthand Typist. Apply, with all particulars, P 749, this office. F

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WANTED for Londonderry, Useful Help (Protestant), able to cook and take charge of kitchen, and help generally; servant kept; salary £20 to £24. Apply, stating age, references, and all particulars, P 873, this office.

WATCHMAKER Wanted, good workman; turning unnecessary; permanent.—C. Church, 6 Upper George's st., Kingstown. 7 20

WANTED at once, smart young Lady to General Drapery Sales. Apply, with references enclosed, stating age, and salary (indoor), S. Forde, Draper, Arklow. A

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WANTED, a smart Girl as Waitress for hotel in the South; must be well recommended.—"Z 2512, Waitress," this office. F

WANTED, experienced Bookkeeper (Lady), shorthand typist, to Manage Wholesale Furniture Office; state salary and experience.—P 949, this office. A

WANTED, well educated Youth as Apprentice to Cinematography; experience not essential. Apply Editor, 17 Great Brunswick st.

WANTED, experienced Assistants for Dyers' and Cleaners' Receiving Office.—P 982, this office. A

WANTED, strong active Man as Porter; accustomed to Grain or Seed Stores preferred. Apply Drummond's Stores, Lower Duke lane.

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WANTED, experienced Warehouse Clerk. Apply, stating salary, P 901, this office.

WANTED, Messenger Boy. Send copies references, P 899, this office.

WANTED, two Lady Shorthand Typists; one must be thoroughly educated and have experience of secretarial work; the other, a young girl with slight experience, able to type accurately, and to assist at general office work; state age, experience, and salary required.—P 1047, this office. B

WANTED, experienced Assistant to Grocery, Provisions, Seeds. Apply, giving particulars, salary, etc., The Secretary, Lear Co-operative Society, Bailieborough.

WANTED, next month, a Lady Cook, good manager and good cook, for large household, near Dublin.—"Z 2591, Cook," this office.

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WANTED for Bray, experienced Lady Bookkeeper and Cashier; not under 25 years; must be strictly accurate and reliable. Reply, in own handwriting, stating age and salary expected, and enclosing copies of references, P 881, this office. B

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WANTED by a City Firm a smart Lad, who has just left school, to act as Light Porter, with an opportunity of learning something about mechanical work.—P 1027, this office. B

WANTED, young Lady (Protestant) to assist Manageress in good class Unlicensed Hotel in Dublin.—P 535, this office. X

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WANTED, reliable Person as Housekeeper for farm place; Farmer's Daughter, Protestant, preferred; to assist with dairy, fowl, etc.; second person kept; two in family. Apply Booth, Rathnew, Wicklow.

WANTED, trustworthy Protestant superior Help, about 30, country; £16; assist general housework. Apply "Z 2639, Help," this office.

YOUNG Lady Companion Wanted, Gentlewoman, Protestant; help housekeeping, needlework; country; comfortable home; small salary; state age and experience.—"Z 2520, Companion," this office. A

YOUNG Lady Wanted for Cash Desk, experienced, typist, City Restaurant; enclose copies testimonials P 977, this office.

YOUNG Lady Wanted for Jewellery Department and Accounts, country (South); I.C.; references.—"Z 2570, Lady," this office. B

YOUNG Lady Required to keep Books and Cash in City Motor Office. Apply, stating qualifications and salary expected, to P 1107, this office. C

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LEATHER Trade—Wanted, by Importing and Factoring Firm, experienced Traveller (Irishman preferred), to work London and district. Apply "Z 2647, Traveller," this office.

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YEAST Merchants and Wholesale Grocers, calling on Retail Shops Wanted as Agents for Preserved Meat Manufacturers; good selling lines. Write "Z 1914, Agents," this office. X

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GENTLEMAN, well educated, 10 years head bookkeeper in leading city office, seeks Agency as change; highest credentials and security.—P 922, this office. B

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LEGAL.

DUBLIN Solicitor requires Clerk; some experience.—P 1019, this office.

SOLICITOR, fully experienced, Conveyancing and all branches, would negotiate Assistantship or Partnership.—P 1003, this office. C

TYPIST—Wanted, experienced Shorthand Writer and Typist for Solicitor's Office in Co. Monaghan; state religion, salary expected, and copies testimonials.—"Z 2488, Typist," this office. A

TYPIST and Copying Clerk, Solicitor's Office, required. P 1045, this office.

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WANTED for country practice, capable and experienced Solicitor's Clerk, with general legal experience. Apply, with references and stating salary required, to "Z 2598, Legal," this office. F

WANTED, Typist and Shorthand Writer for Dublin Solicitor's Office. Write, with copy references, P 1015, this office.

WANTED, Boy for Solicitor's Office.—P 1140, this office. B

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A COMPETENT Assistant required at once. Apply, stating experience, etc., to J. Dundee, 95 University road, Belfast. B

ASSISTANT (indoor) required immediately. Reply, with copies testimonials, etc., McCormack, Chemist, Monkstown.

ASSISTANT Wanted, from 2 p.m. each day, City Pharmacy.—P 1137, this office.

DENTAL—A young Man (mechanical engineer) wishes an Apprenticeship in Mechanical Dentistry with qualified Dentist; highest references.—P 937, this office. B

DENTAL Mechanic Wanted, North Ireland; first class man; must have good references. Apply 28 Westland row. A

DENTAL Pupil—Position desired with qualified Dublin Dentist; applicant wishes to qualify.—1363, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge. A

DENTAL Improver seeks post; city preferred; good reference.—P 1033, this office. A

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INTELLIGENT Boy, with experience at Mechanical Dentistry, wishes to hear of a vacancy.—P 850, this office.

JUNIOR Assistant Wanted for country; Protestant; easy hours, light work; state salary expected, etc.—"Z 2501, Junior," this office. F

LADY wishes engagement as Nurse Attendant, Dentist. 1370, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

MEDICAL—Assistant Wanted in country; replies state age, experience, reference, salary; outdoor.—"Z 2433, Assistant," this office. A

PHARMACIST—Wanted, May 1st, or earlier, qualified Assistant, male or female, Protestant. Apply, stating terms and experience, "Z 2500, Assistant," this office.

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SMART Junior required, Dublin; state particulars; photo.—"Z 2582, Junior," this office. B

WANTED, smart Junior Counter Assistant to Chemist. Apply, giving reference and salary required, H. Bell, 62 Quay, Waterford. B

WANTED, Junior Assistant, provincial town, South; send testimonials and terms; outdoor.—"Z 2514, Medical," this office. B

WANTED, Junior, with dispensing knowledge, outdoor, near Cork; Union wages.—P 918, this office.

WANTED, smart Dental Improver by qualified dentist in city.—P 1065, this office.

WANTED, Assistant, provincial town, South; veterinary knowledge; good front counter hand; hours easy; salary £2 10s.; send copies references.—"Z 2575, Assistant," this office.

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BOOKKEEPER—Young Lady wishes to go as Helper at small sum; never employed.—"Z 2523, Bookkeeper," this office.

DEMOBILISED Soldier, single, Protestant, desires position, Secretary, etc.—"Z 2434, Soldier," this office. A

DRAUGHTSMAN—Young Man, anxious to improve, would go as Assistant; experience drawing for cabinetmaking, carpentry; moderate salary; progressive position.—P 1024, this office. C

DRESSMAKER, experienced, Wants Daily Work in ladies' houses; well recommended.—1376, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

EXPERIENCED young Lady Shop Assistant desires post, Grocery or Fruit Trade, also understands bookkeeping.—P 666, this office. F

FARMER'S Daughter, Protestant, age 23, strong, wishes post as Housekeeper, or would take charge of dairy and poultry; thorough practical knowledge of dairy cattle and poultry rearing, etc.; Midlands preferred. Reply, stating wages and duties, to Box 254, Eason's Advertising Agency, Sackville st., Dublin. C

FARMING—Partnership or Secretaryship required by active young Gentleman, 35, R.C.; long experience in farming, tillage, horses; could take charge.—P 483, this office. F

GENTLEWOMAN, I.C., Companion to elderly or not strong lady; quiet home; no salary; town.—"Z 2578, Companion," this office.

GENTLEWOMAN (Protestant) wishes for post as Lady Housekeeper in high class family; experienced; capable of taking full control; accustomed to manage staff of servants; highest references.—Reply to "Z 2616, Housekeeper," this office.

HANDYMAN (Catholic), married, disengaged in April; painting, papering, rough carpentry, clean motor, gardening.—"Z 2446, Man," this office. A

HARDWARE, Ironmongery, Cycles, etc.—Assistant open for engagement; 8 years' experience; competent take charge; state salary.—"Z 2505, Assistant," this office. A

INDIA—Lady, well educated, wishes to go to India, as Secretary or Companion; excellent references.—J 22, Irish Times Office, Kingstown. O

LADY, 23, well educated, knowledge languages, shorthand, typewriting, desires Secretarial post.—"Z 2472, Lady," this office.

LADY Typist Bookkeeper, can operate switchboard; 4 years' banking and general business experience in London.—P 822, this office.

LADY Help or competent Housekeeper; suit small family; highly recommended; Dublin County or suburbs preferred.—P 1002, this office. C

LADY, Protestant, give light help, companionship, comfortable home; no salary; Dublin or suburbs.—"Z 2577, Lady," this office.

LADY can recommend young Girl, Waitress; restaurant experience; Dublin preferred.—"Z 2614, Waitress," this office.

MECHANIC, 16 years' experience Gas Engines, Dynamos, Wiring, etc.; factory, town, or estate; highest references; strict T.T.; demobilised from munitions.—"Z 2513, Mechanic," this office. B

MOTHER'S Help or Children's Maid (not servant class), young, absolutely reliable, Protestant.—P 938, this office.

NURSE Attendant, invalid lady or gentleman; recommended by doctors.—1362, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

NO Salary—Post required by Lady as Companion, Lady Help, treated as family, where maid kept; no children; country preferred; would go Nurse Companion to gentleman only; willing to go England or abroad.—"Z 2592, Companion," this office.

NURSE, Companion, Protestant; some hospital training, desires engagement; good references.—R O 708, Irish Times Office, Rathmines. C

POST as Housekeeper required by lady; good cook.—R O 714, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

WATCHMAKER—Competent Man, do turning; good references.—"Z 2581, Man," this office. C

MALES WANTED.

GROOM Coachman (married or single); ride, drive, milk; generally useful; country town.—"Z 2431, Groom," this office. F

GROOM Coachman (single) Wanted. Send copies discharges, stating age, weight, wages, Burke, Ballydugan, Loughrea, Galway. F

GENERAL Man Wanted for gentleman's place, single; good knowledge plain gardening; wages £24 (indoor); send references.—"Z 2546, Man," this office.

GENERAL Man Wanted, small farm, suburbs; little tillage; make himself useful about yard, garden, milk; cottage given; state wages, reference.—P 920, this office.

GARDEN Labourer required; please state terms, with house and plot. Apply Gardener, Oldbridge, Drogheda.

GENERAL Farm Man Wanted immediately; must understand sheep and cattle.—Smith, Mount View, Clonsilla.

GARDENER, Co. Waterford; house, vegetables, milk; state wages.—"Z 2590, Gardener," this office. C

GAMEKEEPER Wanted, to break in Setter Pup, 11 months old. Reply, giving terms and stating reference, P 1134, this office.

GROOM required, single, able to do for himself; free rooms; must ride well; milk, firing free.—"Z 2335, Groom," this office.

HERD and General Man Wanted, good milker; Wife poultry; send copies.—"Z 2615, Herd," this office.

LADY wants respectable Protestant Boy, about 15, help with housework; £12 to start; good home, country.—"Z 2638, Boy," this office.

MARRIED Couple Wanted, Cook and Gardener; £50; indoors.—"Z 2313, Couple," this office. 12 17

MAN Wanted, single, middle aged (indoor), plain gardening, farm, generally useful.—"Z 2393, Man," this office. F

MEN Wanted, with some knowledge of Nursery or Garden work. Apply personally at Watsons, Nurseries, Clontarf.

PLAIN Gardener Wanted; £26; indoors; generally useful; milk.—"Z 2314, Gardener," this office. 12 17

PANTRY Boy or young Footman required, Isle of Man.—General Fry, Royal Hospital, Kilmainham, Dublin.

RESPECTABLE Protestant Man (indoor) Wanted to attend invalid gentleman, near Dublin; comfortable home; character must bear strictest investigation; state terms; send copies.—P 1030, this office.

REQUIRED, good Gardener; must be well recommended. Apply, with all particulars, to Mrs. Church, Crotanstown, The Curragh.

TWO Men Wanted—Plain Gardening and Cows; £36, indoors.—"Z 2634, Men," this office. B

WANTED, Journeyman Gardener, inside and outside. Apply, stating wages expected, with copies of references, to Gardener, Knocklofty, Clonmel. A

WANTED, Foreman Gardener, single. Apply, stating wages required, with copies of references, to the Gardener, Knocklofty, Clonmel. A

WANTED, Yardman; must milk, feed cows, calves, pigs; Wife milk, mind poultry.—Lord Dunalley, Kilboy, Nenagh. A

WANTED, active Working Steward; must thoroughly understand tillage and capable of managing men; good wages. Apply "Z 2481, Steward," this office. A

WANTED, experienced Herd, with son, for County Meath; references required; Government wages.—P 903, this office.

MALES CONTINUED

WANTED, reliable, active Man, about 45, Farming, Gardening; generally useful; state religion, particulars of family; wages expected; send copies discharges. Handcock, Ballykinochane, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary. B

WANTED, two Under Gardeners, to live in bothy. Apply, enclosing copies of testimonials, to "Z 2521, Gardeners," this office.

WOODMAN Keeper Wanted; Demobilised Soldier preferred; must have good knowledge of planting and care of young woods, and be good rabbit and vermin trapper. Apply, stating wages required, etc., to Major H. H. R. White, D.S.O., Lough Eske Castle, Co. Donegal. A

WANTED, General Farm Hand, married, knowledge of stock and to milk; house, garden, firing, milk, potatoes; state wages; Co. Meath.—"Z 2529, Man," this office.

WANTED, Working Gardener; no incumbrances; suburbs; 25/-, cottage, vegetables, etc. Apply "Z 2365, Gardener," this office. A

WANTED, Foreman Gardener or good Journeyman, also an Improver. Apply A. Barker, Carrigoran, Newmarket-on-Fergus, Co. Clare. B

WANTED, Ploughman and General Farm Help. For particulars apply Rathleash, Portarlington. B

WANTED, experienced Working Gardener; good house, fuel, milk, potatoes; state wages.—Hawker's Agency, Limerick.

WANTED, Herd, Protestant; preference to a man with working sons; £52 per annum, good house, garden, fuel, and keep for cow and calf; sons at county wages; also Ploughman Wanted.—Rea's Office, Armagh. A

WANTED, a Man to work under gardener; milk two cows; live in. Apply Goodbody, Talbot Lodge, Blackrock. B

WANTED, a Man to take charge of dairy cows, with wife or son to help to milk.—Smithwick, Ballylinch, Thomastown. E

WORKING Butler required, Isle of Man; assistance given.—General Fry, Royal Hospital, Kilmainham, Dublin.

WANTED, Protestant Yardman; good milker; work available for sons.—Walsh, Ballykilcavan, Stradbally, Queen's County. C

WANTED, good Rabbit Trapper, single, Protestant; permanent if suitable; weekly wage in summer, by couple in winter; send copies references.—"Z 2608, Trapper," this office. B

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A YOUNG Man, Protestant, demobilised, seeks situation; can ride and drive single; state wages indoor. P 876, this office. A

A FIRST Class Agricultural Labourer, disengaged; can plough and do all kinds of farm labour.—"Z 2545, Labourer," this office.

BUTLER, middle age, thoroughly reliable, excellent testimonials, used to good service; if required, wife is good cook; Protestants.—The Butler, Trevellyr, Bodorgan, Anglesey.

COACHMAN, Protestant, single; excellent discharges; care motor; good servant, obliging.—P 967, this office. B

DEMOBILISED Soldier, experienced Gardener, requires position near Dublin; highly recommended. "Z 2543, Gardener," this office. B

EXPERIENCED Gardener, has three days a week to spare.—P 856, this office.

FOREMAN or Working Steward (Protestant) requires situation; married, two children; understands farming in all branches; highly recommended; state wages.—"Z 2418, Foreman," this office. F

GARDENER, General Working, son, disengaged; highest references.—Gardener, Dunsink Observatory, Castleknock. F

GARDENER, vines, fruit, flowers, vegetables; Protestant; family two; suburbs.—"Z 2394, Gardener," this office. F

GARDENER (Plain); fruit, flowers, vegetables; married, family; wife milk; R.C.; good references; state wages.—Brennan, Westown, Balbriggan. F

GROOM seeks situation, care pony, milk, and generally useful; indoor.—B. McGuirk, Stillorgan, Co. Dublin. A

GARDENER (Head Working) seeks engagement, where two or three are kept; thoroughly experienced in all branches; can be highly recommended; married when suited; R.C.—"Z 2453, Gardener," this office. A

GARDENER, married (Head or Working), 3 years present place; young; all branches.—Care of Alex Dickson, Seed Merchants, Dublin. A

GARDENER (Head) seeks situation; thorough knowledge, life experience, all branches; good references; married, small family; please state terms.—P 795, this office. B

GARDEN Work Wanted by steady, reliable worker daily, or would engage indoor, County Dublin; references given.—P 978, this office. A

GARDENER (Head Working), open to engagement; life experience in all branches; 8 years present place; married; R.C.—Gardener, Fortwilliam, Glencairn, Co. Waterford. B

GARDENER, Working; understands all branches of gardening, indoor and outdoor; well recommended; married.—Gardener, 20 Middle Mountjoy st., Dublin.

GROOM, married, R.C., seeks situation; understands care of brood mares, foals, and yearlings; can milk; generally useful; 12 years last place; state terms, with house.—Thomas Hickey, Ballyheeney, Clashmore, Youghal. C

GARDENER, Working; understands his business thoroughly, inside and out; married; R.C.—Coffey, Doonass, Clonlara, Clare.

GENERAL Man; can milk, drive, plain gardening; state wages.—P 1136, this office.

GARDENER (Working); vines, fruit, flowers, vegetables; single; highest references; disengaged.—P 1050, this office.

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GENERAL Farm Labourer, married; plough, careful with horses.—Searson, Glanmore, Ashford, Wicklow. O

GARDENER wants Daily Work; first class papers; all branches horticulture.—D., Gardener, 39 Cross avenue, Kingstown.

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HERD and Caretaker, who thoroughly understands his business, with sons to work on farm; can be highly recommended.—"Z 2356, Herd," this office. F

HERD, experienced, seeks situation, with two full grown Sons to help or work on farm; good milkers; well recommended; disengaged 1st May.—Thomas Kelly, Broughan, The Ward, Co. Dublin. F

HERD Shepherd seeks a situation; life experience; can butcher, castrate, dishorn; can be well recommended. Reply, the Herd, Screggan Manor, Tullamore, King's Co.

LAND Steward, Stock Manager; life experience tillage, feeding, dairying, buying, selling; Protestant; married.—Messrs. Orr, Seedsmen, Belfast. O

MANAGER or Steward—Wanted by Gentleman, appointment as above; long experience of farming, all branches; can manage large estate; highest references.—44 Irish Times Office, Cork. F

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SMART Ex-Soldier wants work, Coachman, Vanman, Porter, Plain Gardener, General Man; married; Dublin preferred.—P 998, this office. D

STEWARD, Working, with large experience, desires engagement; Protestant; single; highest references. P 1012, this office. C

WANTED, position trust; understands stallions, mares, cattle, break thoroughbreds, horses to harness and farm work; state terms (keep cow).—Graham, Rusheen, Dromod. B

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YOUNG married Man, discharged from the Army, understands house repairs, carpentry; R.C.—P 1049, this office.

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EXPERIENCED Person Wanted, under 30, for quiet, refined home in Co. Dublin; all duties; £24.—"Z 2598, Domestic," this office.

EXPERIENCED Vegetable Maid Wanted for Salthill Hotel, Monkstown. Apply 48 Dawson st.

MAID Housekeeper Wanted, Co. Limerick, Protestant, good needlewoman, upper housemaid would suit, nine servants kept; state age, wages expected.—"Z 2538, Housekeeper," this office. A

MAID Wanted, soon as possible, to do housemaid's work of nursery floor and children's laundry only; previous laundry maid in private house preferred; high wages; country.—"Z 2604, Maid," this office.

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WANTED immediately, R.C. Girl, good needlewoman, wait on lady; two other maids kept; must have recommendations or from convent.—P 736, this office. F

WANTED, Lady (Protestant) to assist another with work small house and poultry; salary £20; Dublin, near city; copies references.—R O 712, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

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A GOOD Cook Wanted first week in April. Apply 49 Lower Leeson st.

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COOK General, Good, Wanted immediately; no washing or ironing; charwoman; £26; must be well recommended; enclose copies; state age.—Wheatley's Office, Portarlington.

CAN any Lady recommend good Cook General for country? small dairy, poultry.—Mrs. Brush, Brohatna, Ravensdale, Dundalk, Co. Louth.

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EXPERIENCED Cook General and House Parlourmaid Wanted for Shankill; modern house, near station; good wages.—"Z 2606, Cook," this office. O

GOOD Cook (Singlehanded) Wanted; help given; scrubbing done; £26; state age, copies.—"Z 2408, Cook," this office. F

GOOD Plain Cook Wanted immediately for Newport, Co. Mayo, small family; no dairy; wages £28. Apply Mrs. Kerr-Pearse, Railway Hotel, Mallaranny, Co. Mayo.

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WANTED, for a Private Hospital, Good Cook, also Housemaid; both must be well recommended. Send copies of discharges, P 691, this office. E

WANTED Good Plain Cook, also House Parlourmaid; two servants kept; two in family; state wages. Apply Mrs. H. C. Hall, Newport House, Donabate, Co. Dublin. B

WANTED, Cook General, also Housemaid Waitress; wages £35, all found. Apply to Mrs. Tomlinson, Oundle, Little Bushey lane, Bushey Heath, Herts., near London. F

WANTED for Co. Dublin, good plain Cook General; must be early riser; wages £20 and laundry; also Betweenmaid; must help housemaid; wages £12 and laundry; no town girls need apply.—"Z 2464, Cook," this office. F

WANTED, Cook General and House Parlourmaid; wages £20 £18. Address Mrs. Early, Essex Lawn, Roscommon. A

WANTED, Good Plain Cook and House Parlourmaid for near London; good references; fare paid; send papers and wages.—Mrs. Nixon, The Gables, Fife road, East Sheen, Surrey.

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WANTED for country at once, good Cook General; small dairy; 3 maids kept; wages £28 and laundry.—"Z 2491, Cook General," this office. F

WANTED, a good plain Cook General; small dairy; must be trustworthy. Apply Mrs. Kidd, Tullow Lodge, Tullow, Co. Carlow. A

WANTED, country Girl, with good knowledge of kitchen work, to train as Cook; good wages.—"Z 2503, Girl," this office. F

WANTED, middleaged Cook General, two in family; small dairy, washing, and scrubbings done; small house, country. Apply Malcomson, Goresbridge, Kilkenny. A

WANTED immediately, Hotel Cook; wages £27; good reference necessary. Also Waitress.—"Z 2531, Cook," this office. B

WANTED immediately, good Cook, for Breen's Hotel, Dunmore East, Co. Waterford. A

WANTED, gentleman's place, Co. Limerick, scrupulously clean Dairy and Fowl Woman, married; must have Husband, Herd, Labourer, or Gardener; must have excellent papers; enclose copies, with all particulars.—"Z 2565, Dairymaid," this office. A

WANTED, single handed Cook, country; no dairy or fowl; two other maids; state wages.—"Z 2507, Cook," this office. A

WANTED, good young Cook, Co. Meath; well recommended; £28; kitchenmaid kept. Apply "Z 2413, Cook," this office. X

WANTED at once, superior Cook General; good references.—Carraig-na-Mara, Killiney, Dublin.

WANTED, next month, a Lady Cook, good manager and good cook, for large household, near Dublin.—"Z 2591, Cook," this office.

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WANTED, good Plain Cook; age, wages, papers.—Mrs. Tynte, Tynte Park, Dunlavin (country). B

WANTED, 1st April, Cook General; wages £24; light work. Apply, with references, McLetchie, "The Tower," Bangor, Co. Down. B

WANTED, good, trustworthy Cook General for Lisburn; good wages given; 2 in family. Reply "Z 2648, Cook General," this office. B

GENERALS WANTED.

A GENERAL Wanted; good plain cook; good wages; no washing, no scrubbing. Send copies, etc., Mrs. Jessop, Maryborough. A

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EXPERIENCED General Wanted; wages £24; convenient to Dublin; another maid kept; good home suitable girl; copies discharges.—P 553, this office. X

EXPERIENCED General Wanted, April 2nd, family 3, near Donnybrook.—1371, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

EXPERIENCED General Servant Wanted early in April; no washing; good wages; man kept.—Mrs. Black, Edenville, Roscommon. B

GENERAL Servant Wanted, Terenure; good plain cook; light washing; £30; must be well recommended; send copies discharges; state age.—P 680, this office. F

GENERAL Servant Wanted, small family; some washing; good wages. Apply after 4 o'clock, 327 North Circular road. F

GENERAL Servant Wanted for a quiet country place; good plain cook; some washing; small family. Mrs. Brien, Lanistown, Donabate.

GENERAL Servant Wanted. Apply after 5 o'clock, 4 Kenilworth road, Rathgar. A

GENERAL, well recommended, Wanted for six roomed house, Stephen's Green; family two; good wages.—P 1041, this office.

GENERAL Servant Wanted; must be good cook and laundress; family two; wages £18.—P 1023, this office.

LADY Wants thoroughly reliable, superior General for Galway, good plain cook and careful housekeeper, for family of two; small washing; comfortable home, good wages to suitable person; excellent personal character essential.—"Z 2462, General," this office. X

SMART young General; three in family; wages £20.—79 Highfield road, Rathgar. F

SUPERIOR General Wanted, small family. Apply between 2 and 7 p.m., 191 Rathgar road. F

STEADY General Servant Wanted for quiet country place, Co. Leitrim; must be well recommended; wages £16; Protestant. Call 43 Rathmines road, between 4 and 7. F

SMART General Wanted; good wages; indoor; Milltown, Co. Dublin.—P 857, this office.

SMART young General Wanted; good cook; no washing; help given; wages from £20.—67 Kenilworth square.

SUPERIOR young General Wanted; good wages; help given; no washing. Apply, after five, 6 Temple Villas, Palmerston road. B

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WANTED immediately, good General, experienced; reference; small family; good home and good wages.—31 Northumberland st., Higher Broughton, Manchester. F

WANTED, General Servant for small family (England); fare paid; state wages and references.—Mrs. Size, 36 Crosby road, Birkdale, Southport. F

WANTED, a smart, reliable General. Write or call, 1 Bushy Park road, Rathgar.

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WANTED, tidy General, daily.—Ivanhoe, Westfield road, Harold's Cross.

WANTED, smart General; good references. Apply 52 Lower Baggot st.

WANTED, good General; indoor preferred; two in family; good references necessary. Apply, 5-6 p.m., 1 Oaklands Park, Ballsbridge. B

WANTED, 1st April, good General, where cook is kept. Apply Inver, Glenageary. X

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WANTED immediately, experienced young General; two in family; wages £18.—1373, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

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YOUNG General Wanted (indoor). Call, "Elsinore," Grove Park, Rathmines. F

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HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted, Co. Dublin; no rough work; must be highly recommended; liberal wages to suitable person.—P 1097, this office. B

REQUIRED, good Single Housemaid, able to undertake care of linen; must be well recommended; good wages. Apply, with all particulars, Mrs. Church, Crotanstown, The Curragh.

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TWO Friends (Housemaid and Parlourmaid) required for Co. Tipperary about April 1st; must know their work; housemaid to sew; Protestants preferred.—Trant, Glenart Lodge, Blackrock, Co. Dublin. B

WANTED, first rate Parlourmaid, R.C.; must be good valet; highest recommendations essential.—Lady Foster, Glyde Court, Ardee, Co. Louth. T

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WANTED Parlourmaid (not too young), steady, respectable, neat appearance, for country house near Cahir; must be well recommended; send copies.—"Z 2476, Parlourmaid," this office. F

WANTED, April 2nd, experienced Housemaid, able to wait at table. Apply Mrs. Goodbody, Talbot Lodge, Blackrock. A

WANTED, Head Parlourmaid, £30, uniform supplied; Wanted, first rate Single Parlourmaids.—Wild's Agency, Marifield, Clonmel.

WANTED, for Doctor's House near Manchester, young Girl, 18-19, as Housemaid; salary £12 and insurance money, indoor uniform provided, and fare across; three in family; good references necessary. Reply, with photograph and copies of references, to Mrs. Dewar, Bury, Lanc. A

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WANTED immediately, single Housemaid; three in family; three maids; wages £22 and laundry. Send copies last two papers and age, Mrs. Odlum, Huntington, Portarlington, Queen's County.

WANTED on 1st April, good young House Parlourmaid; housemaid kept. Apply 37 Upper Mount st. 2 to 3 o'clock or 6 o'clock.

WANTED, Monkstown, House Parlourmaid; wages £24. Send copies and all particulars, P 1020, this office.

WANTED, an experienced and first class Parlourmaid (Protestant preferred); must be well recommended. Apply, sending references, stating age and wages, to Mrs. French, Cuskinny, Queenstown. X

WANTED, good Parlourmaid, Protestant; suburbs, good place.—Y.W.C.A., 53 Upper Mount st.

WANTED experienced House Parlourmaid; housemaid kept. Apply Mrs. Kelly, Weston, Duleek, Co. Meath.

WANTED, experienced House Parlourmaid; highly recommended; wages £24; two ladies in family.—Apply by letter to Mrs. Heuston, St. David's, Greystones. X

YOUNG Under Parlourmaid Wanted; some housework; Protestant preferred.—Mrs. Bernard, Palace, Dublin. F

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WANTED, for Londonderry, nice young, sensible Girl (Protestant), to help in care of child 6 years old, do light housework and sew. Apply, stating age, references, etc., P 869, this office. F

WANTED, Girl to mind baby, do light housework; sleep in. Apply 18 Sandford terrace, Ranelagh.

WANTED immediately, young Nurse, I.C., baby 18 months; highest references necessary.—34 Clarinda Park, West, Kingstown.

YOUNG Protestant Nurse Housemaid Wanted, Kingstown; country girl preferred.—A 19, Irish Times Office, Kingstown. F

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WORKING Housekeeper, Protestant, desires situation, single gentleman; good plain cook; satisfactory papers.—P 898, this office.

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS DISENGAGED.

COOK (First Class) disengaged 11th April; age 32, R.C.—"Z 2602, Cook," this office.

GOOD Cook disengaged April 3rd; understands dairy; city or suburbs preferred.—"Z 2470, Cook," this office.

TWO respectable country Girls (sisters) wish situations together—Good Cook and House Parlourmaid, 12 years in present place; good references.—R O 713, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

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YOUNG country Girl wishes situation General; good reference.—"Z 2603, General," this office.

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DUBLIN CASTLE RED CROSS HOSPITAL.

A meeting of the Committee of Management of the Dublin Castle Red Cross Hospital was held at the hospital on the 20th instant. Sir John Lynch, Vice-Chairman, presided, and the following members were present:—Miss Mulvany, LL.D.; Miss E. Murphy, Mr. William M. Murphy, J.P.; Sir William J. Thompson, M.D., Hon. Secretary; Mr. William Geoghegan, M.B.E.; Alderman James Moran, J.P. Major Carew, Officer-in-Charge, and the Secretary were also present. Apologies were received from Mrs. Owen Lewis, Sir William Fry, D.L., J.P.; Mr. G. Jameson Johnston, F.R.C.S.; Mr. Henry P. Goodbody, Miss L. Thompson, Col. Jos. O'Carroll, A.M.S.; Lieut.-Col. Conway Dwyer, R.A.M.C.

The Chairman referred to the Thursday concerts inaugurated by Alderman Jas. Moran, J.P., and Mr. Chas. M. Jones, of the Tivoli Theatre, which have been held in St. Patrick's Hall, at the hospital, for the past 4½ years, and said that they had been of inestimable benefit to the patients, not only in the Castle Hospital, but also to those from all other hospitals and convalescent homes in the city and suburbs, who were always welcome at these entertainments.

Proposed by Sir John Lynch, Chairman, and seconded by Mr. William M. Murphy, J.P., Chairman of the Finance and General Purposes Committee, a hearty vote of thanks was passed to Alderman Moran and Mr. Charles M. Jones.

Various letters and correspondence were read and discussed. The visitors elected for next month were Alderman James Moran and Mrs. Hamilton.

DUBLIN SKIN AND CANCER HOSPITAL.

At a meeting of the City of Dublin Skin and Cancer Hospital (Incorporated), Hume street, the members present were:—Andrew Smith, J.P. (presiding); W. B. Aiken, George Birney, M. R. Lalor, J. M'Andrew, B.A., B.E.; Alderman Quaid, J.P.; T. Wood Latimer, J.P.; Andrew Charles, F.R.C.S.I. Apologies were received from Colonel Ross and D. J. O'Brien, K.C.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and signed.

Mr. E. N. Richardson, J.P., Chairman, deceased.—The following resolution was passed unanimously, the members present standing:—"That the Management Committee of the City of Dublin Skin and Cancer Hospital expresses its deep sorrow on the lamented decease of its Chairman, the late Mr. E. N. Richardson, J.P., who was for many years preceding his Chairmanship, and during the period of his Chairmanship, a sincere and earnest helper in the work of the hospital amongst the sick poor of Dublin, and the Committee tenders to his relatives its deep sympathy."

A Washington telegram, dated Thursday, states:—The dividends and interest on Railroad Stocks and Bonds, due on February 1, amounting to approximately 70 million dollars, will be met by the railroad administration by the issue of certificates of indebtedness to the companies for the amount due from rentals and other sources. The War Finance Corporation will make cash advances to the companies on these certificates.

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THE RESETTLEMENT OF WOMEN.

The total number of women who have been registered as unemployed at the Employment Exchanges throughout the country during the period from the armistice to February 28th is 712,025, composed of 709,206 civilians and 2,819 women attached to the Forces. The number of policies remaining lodged at the Employment Exchanges on February 28th was 495,299, indicating that 216,726 women, or, roughly, 30 per cent., had either found employment or had renounced employment donation because they did not desire to obtain work.

Of the remaining number of unemployed women, it must be remembered that a large proportion had no occupation before the war. In Yorkshire and the East Midlands, for example, two typical munitions areas, the proportion of those with a settled occupation in pre-war days is only 55 per cent., although through the pressure of war circumstances considerably more than that number are now seeking work. In that area the engineering and clothing trades, clerical positions, warehouse work, and general labouring seem to be popular, since unemployed women are seeking to enter these occupations in considerably larger numbers than their pre-war strength. The woollen, hosiery, and lace trades seem now to be definitely less attractive. The registrations in this area for domestic service are less than the numbers who left such occupations for munitions work.

But, generally speaking, the greatest reluctance is being shown by women and girls throughout the country to re-enter domestic service, more especially resident service. Out of some 66,800 registrations for domestic service booked at the Employment Exchanges during the four weeks February 4th-28th, or carried forward from the previous period, 9,265, or 14 per cent., were placed in work by the Employment Exchanges, while 83 per cent. remained on the registers. Similarly, of 61,150 vacancies notified to the Exchange during the same period or carried forward from the previous period, 9,265, or 15 per cent., were filled through the Exchanges, while 36,899, or 60 per cent., remained on the Exchange books. And this in face of the fact that in the industrial districts, particularly in the northern and north-western counties in Yorkshire and in Scotland, there are more unemployed women and girls registered for domestic work than there are vacancies notified.

How, then, does it happen that supply and demand do not dovetail?

The answer is largely because a very large number of women registered as domestic servants at the Employment Exchanges only desire daily work as "day-girls" or charwomen, while the majority of the offers of employment are for resident positions; and to "live in" the ex-munitions woman worker is showing a decided reluctance.

There does not, however, seem to be so great an objection to service in hotels, for which the registrations exceed the vacancies in the Midlands and North, though there is an opposite tendency in London and the South.

REFUGE ASSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.

The directors' report and balance sheet of the Refuge Assurance Company, Ltd., sets out the total premium income of both branches for the past year as £4,221,944, which is an increase of £338,468 over the previous twelve months. The total assets now amount to £15,981,076, of which over £5,000,000 is held in War Loans. The claims paid on the year amount to £2,240,945, the amount disbursed under this head since the establishment of the company being £28,217,204. Over £816,000 have been paid in war claims, and claims arising out of the influenza epidemic accounted for £207,000. In 1918 the assets stood at £15,981,076, having risen from £6,180,294 since 1908.

Madrid postmen have gone on strike.

A bill restricting the sale of opium exclusively to medical purposes was presented to the House of Representatives, says a Tokio telegram, dated March 11.

RUGBY.

To-day's Fixtures.—Blackrock College (Castle) v. Merrion (second round O'Connor Cup), Lansdowne road, 2.0; Blackrock College v. Mountjoy School (final, Leinster Senior Schools' Cup), Lansdowne road, 3.30; Wanderers v. Bective Rangers, Lansdowne road, 3.0; Lansdowne v. North of Ireland, Ormeau, 2.30; South African Students v. Old St. Mary's (second round O'Connor Cup), College Park; Clontarf v. Old Belvedere (second round O'Connor Cup), Castle avenue, 3.15; Monkstown v. Dublin Garrison, Sydney Parade, 3.15; Provincial Schools v. Belfast Schools (Ulster Inter-provincial Trial Match), Belfast.

TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

Wanderers.—R. J. Barrett; M. Wilson, C. Brooks, F. Fennell, A. F. Ferguson; G. Van Maanan, H. Jeffers; H. Bluett, A. J. England, N. V. Everton, T. C. Hughes, R. Rollins, H. N. Potterton, R. G. Quirk, C. Wilding.

Lansdowne—Lt. Crawford; W. V. Jackson, F. Milligan, Sgt. Westropp, another; Lt. McFerran, Lt. Stewart; Capt. Fiddes, Lt. Francis, S. McCrea, Lt. Smyth, Lt. Thompson, Lt. Tait, P. Whitty, Lt. Young.

Clontarf—G. Bryce; C. Wilkinson, E. Dallas, H. Cormac, W. L. Freeman; J. Hopkins, M. Brady; V. Dallas, C. Gibson, J. Brady, C. Denvir, J. Watts, H. Bell, J. Quinn, J. Roche.

Merrion—T. B. Walsh; Byrne, Abraham, Saunders, McAteer; Coleman, Crowley; Cogan, Campbell, Rogers, Kearney, McGrath, Costelloe, McGuinness.

Blackrock College (Castle)—Elliot; Ross, Walsh, another, T. Kenny; V. Coghlan, Smith; Coghlan, Browne, Birmingham, Ryan, Wallace, McGuinness, O'Connell, Kirby.

Monkstown—S. Lane; W. E. Murphy, T. S. Dale, Molloy, R. B. Brett; D. C. Pickeman, Lieut. Ball; G. Malony, A. J. Walmsley, Lieut. Greaves, J. A. Mather, R. M. Scott, Capt. Mecredy, V. Dowse, another.

Bective Rangers—J. O'Brien; M. Sidney, M. Abraham, J. Macauley, J. Callinan; R. F. Hammond, L. Kinlen; W. P. Collopy, A. Cantwell, R. Collopy, C. O'Shea, J. Fitzgerald, J. De Ross, M. Flanagan, D. McCarthy.

ASSOCIATION.

Irish Cup.—Shelbourne's Protest Withdrawn.—The protest lodged by Shelbourne against Linfield on the ground of extra time being played in the Irish Cup semi-final replay in Belfast on the 15th inst., has been withdrawn by Shelbourne.

To-day's Fixtures.—International—Scotland v. Ireland, at Ibrox Park, Glasgow. Junior International—Ireland v. Scotland, Gresvenor Park, Belfast. Leinster Senior League (I.)—Bohemians v. Olympia, Dalymount Park; St. James's Gate v. Ulster, St. James's Park. Metropolitan Cup—University College v. Shelbourne, Terenure. Leinster Senior League (II.)—C.Y.M.S. v. St. James's Gate 2nd, at Richmond Hill.

TEAMS.

Scotland.—Brownlie (Morton); M'Nair (Celtic), Orr (Third Lanark); Gordon (Rangers), Cringan (Celtic), M'Mullan (Partick Thistle); Donaldson (Arthurlie and Bolton Wanderers), Bowie (Rangers), Wilson (Heart of Midlothian), M'Menemy (Celtic), Morton (Queen's Park).

Ireland.—Scott (Belfast Celtic); M'Cracken (Newcastle United), Rollo (Linfield); O'Connell (Manchester United), Lacey (Linfield), Emerson (Glentoran); Lyner (Glentoran), M'Kinney (Belfast Celtic), Halligan (Hull City), Hamill (Belfast Celtic), Moore (Glentoran).

Ireland (Juniors).—Adams (Cliftonville Olympic); Bowman (Bangor), M'Carthy (Olympic); Jones (Cliftonville Olympic), Bateson (Distillery 2nd) (capt.), Connolly (Jacobs); Lemon (Glentoran 2nd), Feeney (Distillery 2nd), Reid (Distillery 2nd), Connell (Midland Athletic), Doyle (Olympia).

Scotland (Juniors).—Ferguson (Bedlay Juniors); Weir (Bedlay Juniors), M'Kenzie (Yorker Athletic); Neil (Parkhead), Cahill (St. Anthony's), M'Donald (Renfrew Juniors); Dougall (Cleland Juniors), Cunningham (Cumnock Juniors), M'Inally (St. Anthony's), Chalmers (Cambusiang Rangers), Cameron (Glencairn).

The week's Football doings and the Schools' Cups. See the *Irish Field*, published to-day, price 2d.—(Advt.)

CROQUET.

The Championships.

At a meeting of the Croquet Association, held in London, the following dates and places were decided on for the championship tournaments:—Challenge Cups, at Roehampton, May 12; Irish Championships, at Carrickmines, May 19; Peel Memorial, at Roehampton, May 26; Croquet Championships, at Roehampton, June 23; Gold Medals, at Roehampton, July 14; Championship Cups, at Roehampton, July 28.

GOLF.

Kingstown (Ladies).—Thursday, March 27th.—Sweepstakes, 18 holes, bogey—Bisques, half handicap strokes, taken on holes, as desired; three classes; sealed hole. Draw 2.30.

The Charms of Lahinch is the subject of this week's Golfing Article in the *Irish Field*, published to-day, price 2d.—(Advt.)

CRICKET.

Australian Team to Visit Dublin.

Followers of the game will be interested to hear that the "Australian Imperial Forces Cricket Team" will play two matches at Woodbrook, Bray, during the second week in August.

HOCKEY.

TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

Dublin University.—G. C. B. Robinson; J. L. Woods, M. F. Bridge; S. G. Ronan, R. E. Murphy (capt.), H. W. Strong; J. F. Cox, W. Taylor, R. W. Varian, J. F. Mahony, J. C. Gillespie.

Dublin University II.—J. A. Gaynor; R. M. Corbet (capt.), F. G. Smith; A. Hobson, W. B. Fox, W. R. Aykroyd; A. T. Ford, F. G. Hilliard, W. N. McWilliam, H. R. Foster, H. W. Eyre.

Bank of Ireland.—H. Davis; E. G. Miller, T. Joughin; H. C. Trotter, A. N. Other, G. Darcus; R. King, A. P. Chambers, F. E. Darcus, R. H. Moynan (capt.), G. Williams.

Railway.—Pim; Browner, Ryan; Short, Malcolm, Holmes; Chadwick, Sully, Bollard, Redfern, Clarke.

To-day's Fixtures.—Minor Cup Final—Trinity 2nd v. Royal Hibernians 2nd, Park avenue, 2.45. Umpires—Messrs. A. Jackson and P. J. Bermingham. Mills' Cup, Semi-Final—Trinity 1st v. Bank of Ireland, Park avenue, 4.0. Umpires—Messrs. J. S. M'Mahon and J. S. Jackson. Friendly Match—Railway v. Serpentine, Park avenue.

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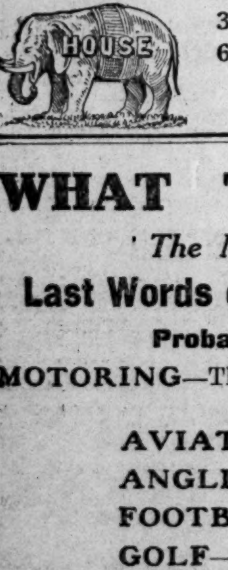

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SPORTING NEWS.

KEMPTON PARK MEETING—YESTERDAY.

(AT SANDOWN PARK.)

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, FRIDAY NIGHT.

The weather was very cold at Sandown Park to-day, but it kept fine, and the racing was carried on under vastly better conditions than on Thursday. There was an improved attendance, but the going was softer than on the previous afternoon, and the work of the competitors was the more severe as a consequence. Prince Clifton, considered a good thing by the Northern division for the Portlane Steeplechase, unfortunately came to grief after going half the journey, and Memento, staying better than Bath, won easily at the finish. Carol Singer was no match for Monard in the Hounslow Hurdle Race. To the general surprise, Golden Fleece was not pulled out for the Kempton Park Handicap Steeplechase, in which Bell Toll ran like a non-stayer, and MacMerry, having too much speed in the race home for Shaun Spadah, scored a popular victory. Hollins Lane, following his Lingfield and Dunstall Park failures, very easily annexed the Bushey Park Hurdle Race from the Gatwick winner, Sea Voyage. Toadstone, who had recently been purchased by Mr. W. E. Wren, in whose name and colours he ran, found his task in the Two Miles Steeplechase a congenial one, most of his rivals falling or making blunders; and Crown Again won the Four-Year-Old Hurdle Race in the style of a very useful recruit to the game. Details:—

1.0—PORTLANE SELLING HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs., 3 m. (Started at 1.1.)

Mr. S. R. Jaggard's bl. or br. g. **MEMENTO,** by Dinna Forget—Roman Matron, a, 12-4 (in. 7lb. ex.) ......Rennison 1
Mr. R. S. Sievier's **BATH,** a, 11-8 ......A. Moss 2
Mr. A. Hastngs' **SIMON THE LEPPER,** a, 12-7 ......I. Anthony 3

Also ran:—Prince Clifton (Threlfell). (Winner trained by Orbell.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Prince Clifton, 9 to 4 Bath, 3 to 1 MEMENTO, 5 to 1 Simon the Lepper.

Won by six lengths; a bad third. Prince Clifton fell.

The winner was bought in for 125 gns. Simon the Lepper was sold to Mr. R. Payne for 125 gns.

1.30.—HOUNSLOW SELLING HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2 m. (Started at 1.33.)

Mr. R. Gore's ch. g. **MONARD,** by Santoi—Bel Item, a, 11-5 ......J. Kelly 1
Mr. J. Baylis' **CAROL SINGER,** a, 11-5 ......Piggott 2
Mr. F. Fry's **HOLY RUSSIA,** 4, 10-0 ...G. Wall 3
(Winner trained by Gore.)

Betting—3 to 1 on Carol Singer, 3 to 1 agst. MONARD, 20 to 1 Holy Russia.

Won by three lengths; a bad third.

The winner was sold to Mr. Douglas Clarke for 200 gns.

2.0.—KEMPTON PARK HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 200 sovs. 2 m. (Started at 1.49.)

Mr. H. Bottomley's b. g. **MacMERRY,** by Uncle Mac—Merry Bout, a, 10-5 ......Glassier 1
Mr. T. M. McAlpine's **SHAUN SPADAH,** a, 11-8 ......R. Morgan 2
Mr. G. W. Smith's **BELL TOLL,** a, 10-13 ......Major Doyle 3

Also ran:—Cresley (J. Kelly), Turbine Secundus (T. Hulme), Ophion (T. Dunn).
(Winner trained by Hare.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Shaun Spadah, 3 to 1 Turbine Secundus, 100 to 30 Bell Toll, 5 to 1 MacMERRY, 10 to 1 each Cresley and Ophion.

Won by four lengths; six lengths between second and third.

2.30—BUSHEY PARK HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2 m. (Started at 2.29.)

Capt. H. Denison's b. g. **HOLLINS LANE,** by Kroonstad—Blue Feather, a, 11-5 ......Mr. H. A. Brown 1
Mr. W. Blythe's **SEA VOYAGE,** a, 11-8 ......A. Saxby 2
Mr. H. G. Bradford's **AHANESK,** 6, 10-0 ......H. Smythe 3

Also ran:—Maurice (Kelly), Ivington (Mr. F. Rees), Flurry (Piggott). (Winner trained by Brown.)

Betting—Evens HOLLINS LANE, 9 to 2 each agst. Sea Voyage and Ahanesk, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by three lengths; six lengths divided second and third.

3.0—TWO-MILE STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. 2 m. (Started at 2.59.)

Mr. D. Stuart's b. h. **TOADSTONE,** by Yentoi—Jaindoil, a, 12-3 ......W. Payne 1
Mr. W. B. Richardson's **SHANTOI,** 4, 10-5 ......F. Cullen 2
Mr. D. Stuart's **THE ADMIRALTY,** 5, 11-5 ......Head 3

Also ran:—Pride of Holderness (Major Doyle), Wynnstay (Gregson), Simon the Tanner (Driscoll), Rotterdam (Ward), Parkanore (Morgan). (Winner trained by Hyams.)

Betting—13 to 8 agst. TOADSTONE, 7 to 2 Shantoi, 4 to 1 Simon the Tanner, 10 to 1 bar three.

Won by five lengths; a bad third.

3.30—LITTLETON FOUR-YEAR-OLD HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2 m. (Started at 3.38.)

Major R. L. Kidston's b. c. **CROWN AGAIN,** by Land League—High Tide, 11-8 ......Lancaster 1
Mr. A. P. Cunliffe's **CHARLES MARTEL,** 12-7 ......Piggott 2
Mr. T. G. White's **ABIAD,** 10-10......Harland 3

Also ran:—Beaucourt (W. Smith), Gamelyn (Cox). (Winner trained by Colling.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Charles Martel, 5 to 2 Gamelyn, 4 to 1 CROWN AGAIN, 9 to 2 Abiad, 10 to 1 Beaucourt.

Won by three lengths; six lengths separated second and third.

COLWALL PARK STEEPLECHASES POSTPONED.

The Stewards yesterday decided to postpone the Colwall Park Meeting, arranged for to-day, until Wednesday next, with the sanction of the National Hunt Stewards. The snow which fell on Thursday was still in evidence yesterday, and racing would not have been possible to-day, and, with the weather threatening, there was no option but to put off the meeting.

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All engagements—St. Mathurin II., at 9 a.m. yesterday. Lincoln engagements—Tetrarchia. Breeders' Stakes, Newmarket Second Spring Meeting—Cassy Brown filly (2 yrs.). Breeders' Foal Stakes, Nottingham August Meeting—Angele filly (2 yrs.). All engagements—Rhodora colt (2 yrs.) (dead).

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TRIAL AT NEWMARKET.

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IRISH NATIONAL HUNT STEEPLECHASE COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the I.N.H.S. Committee was held at the Registry Office, Dublin, on 19th inst. A vote of condolence to the relations of the late Mr. F. C. Osborne, one of the initial members of the Committee, proposed by the Senior Steward (Mr. R. D. Jameson) and seconded by Mr. A. J. McNeile, was passed in silence.

A resolution from the members of the Kildare Hunt Club was marked "read."

The Racing Situation.

In the course of a full and lengthy discussion on the general situation in regard to racing under the I.N.H.S Rules, the Stewards informed the Committee that the Stewards of five race meetings, advertised to be held under I.N.H.S. Rules in different parts of the country, had been forced to abandon their meetings owing to the action of the Sinn Fein Executive, and that the Stewards of the I.N.H.S. Committee had given their official sanction to the course pursued by the local Stewards. The Committee unanimously accorded their unqualified endorsement of the decision of the Stewards, and expressed the strongest condemnation of the misguided and destructive policy that had left the Stewards no alternative but to act in the manner aforementioned.—*Irish Racing Calendar.*

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Charlbury will be ridden in the Grand National by Percy Woodland.

Major Arthur Blennerhassett has been re-appointed Inspector of Courses by the I.N.H.S. Committee.

Chinaman (5 yrs.) was offered at auction yesterday at Sandown Park, and purchased by Mr. G. C. Poole for 600 gns.

R. I. Chadwick being ill with influenza, an effort is being made to obtain the services of Williams, the Anglo-French rider, for All White in the Grand National.

The Stewards of the Turf Club have given permission to Messrs. C. Brabazon, T. D. M'Keever, J. Manley, P. Nugent, L. O'Hanlon, and W. F. Uprichard to ride under Rule 96 (i).

Army horses were in great demand at York this week, 248 horses of all classes realising £13,896, averaging just over £56. Seventy heavy draught horses averaged £73, and 159 light draught horses just over £52.

After the race for the Bushey Park Hurdle at Sandown Park yesterday, the Stewards called on H. Smyth, the rider of Ahanesk, to explain his riding of the horse. After hearing the evidence of the judge and that of Mr. H. A. Brown, the rider of Hollins Lane, they accepted Smyth's explanation.

PHŒNIX PARK MARCH MEETING—

Saturday, March 29th.

ORDER OF RUNNING.

	H. M.		H. M.
Open Five Furlong Handicap	3. 0	Second Class T.Y.O Plate	4.30
First Class T.Y.O. Plate	3.30	Selling Mile Handicap	5. 0
Optional Selling Plate	4. 0	Weight for Age Plate	5.30

DUNDALK MEETING—

Tuesday and Wednesday, March 25th and 26th.

ORDER OF RUNNING.

	H. M.		H. M.
FIRST DAY.			
Novices' Hurdle	1.30	Seaside Plate	3.15
March Plate	2.15	Welter Plate	3.45
Louth Plate	2.45	Qualifying Plate	4.15
SECOND DAY.			
Briskin Hill Plate	1.30	Pulcain Plate	3. 0
Cornyanally Plate	2. 0	Moderato Plate	3.30
Stewards' Plate	2.30	Stayers' Plate	4. 0

LONDON BETTING—YESTERDAY.

LINCOLNSHIRE HANDICAP.
(Run Wednesday, March 26. 1 m.)

4 to 1 Hainault, 5, 9-3, t. and o......Lambton.
100 to 12 Somerville, 4, 6-5, to and o.....Hobbs.
10 to 1 Roideur, 4, 7-3 (after 100 to 9, t.) Persse.
100 to 8 Royal Bucks, 6, 7-5, t. and o....Sievier
100 to 6 Somme Kiss, 4, 8-8, t. and o....Colling
100 to 6 Ambre II., a, 6-11, t. and o......Tabor
25 to 1 Chicago, 4, 6-0, t. and o..........Young.

GRAND NATIONAL.
(Run Friday, March 28. 4 m. 856 yds.)

7 to 2 Poethlyn, a, 12-7, t. and o......Escott.
100 to 6 Ballyboggan, a, 11-10, o..........Pope.
20 to 1 Ballincaroona, a, 9-13, t. and o..Martin.
20 to 1 Charlbury, a, 9-7, t. and o..Nightingall.

LEOPARDSTOWN CLUB SPRING MEETING,

FRIDAY, MAY 2nd, 1919.

The following Races Close on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26th, to Mr. C. Brindley, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin:—

THE NEWTOWN SELLING HURDLE HANDICAP PLATE of 100 sovs. One mile and a half.

THE BRAY STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. Three miles.

THE STAND PLATE of 100 sovs. A flat race. For three years old and upwards. One mile and a half.

THE STILLORGAN TWO YEARS OLD PLATE of 100 sovs. Five furlongs.

—(Advt.)

DOWN ROYAL (MAZE) RACES,

SATURDAY and EASTER MONDAY, 19th and 21st APRIL.

The following Races CLOSE on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 26th INST., with Mr. C. Brindley, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin:

Horses carried Free to and from the Meeting over the G.N. Railway system. FREE STABLING.

FIRST DAY.

LAGAN PLATE, 110 sovs. Handicap. Five furlongs.

MAZE PLATE, 100 sovs. A selling two-year-old race.

HILLSBOROUGH PLATE, 100 sovs. One mile.

FOXHUNTERS' PLATE, 100 sovs. Flat race. Two miles.

LISBURN PLATE, 100 sovs. One mile.

KILDARE PLATE, 100 sovs. Flat race. One mile and a half.

SECOND DAY.

DUNMURRY PLATE, 110 sovs. Handicap. One mile.

DONACLONEY PLATE, 100 sovs. Flat race. Two miles.

LURGAN PLATE, 100 sovs. For three years old.

MAIDEN PLATE, 100 sovs. Five furlongs.

STAGHUNTERS' PLATE, 100 sovs. Flat race. Three miles.

KILLULTAGH CUP. A local flat race.

—(Advt.)

DUNDALK RACE MEETING,

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY NEXT,
MARCH 25th and 26th.

FIRST RACE EACH DAY 1.30.

Trains leave Dublin 9.0 a.m., 10.30 a.m., the latter calling at Rush and Lusk 10.55, Balbriggan 11.10, Laytown 11.25, Drogheda 11.40, Dunleer 11.56, Castlebellingham 12.10; returning 4.26, 4.40, 5.10, 5.47, 7.30.

—(Advt.)

BILLIARDS.

The Championship.

Inman v. Stevenson.

Continuing the final championship heat of 16,000 up Inman drew further away from Stevenson at Leicester square yesterday afternoon, and led at the interval by 5,991. The champion scored 669 to Stevenson's 391, and the respective averages were 33 and 19. Inman made breaks of 59, 46, 54, 109, 50, 134, 52, and 51, unfinished, and Stevenson's highest compilations were 82, 45, and 44. Interval scores:—Inman (in play), 14,003; Stevenson, 8,012.

Stevenson again gave a miserable display when the game was continued last evening. Inman totalled 664 to his rival's 256, his average being 33 against Stevenson's 12. Closing scores:—Inman, 14,667; Stevenson, 8,268.

THE IRISH AGRICULTURAL ORGANISATION SOCIETY.

The report of this Society for the year ending 31st March, 1918, to be submitted to the annual meeting on Thursday next, states that the statistics which it contains are imperfect, as 163 societies failed to furnish figures. Of these, it is believed that 73 have ceased working, and 70 of the remainder have not had their accounts audited. Of the 677 societies whose work forms the basis of the report, the outstanding fact is that, whilst there is a nominal decrease in the number of societies on the register, there is a net increase in membership of 6,896, and in trade of nearly a million and a half pounds sterling. Comparing the figures for 1917 with those for the preceding year, the following are the results:—The total number of societies in 1916 was 958, and in 1917 the number fell to 947, a decrease of 11. Membership increased very substantially in 1917, the number in that year being 113,640, 6,896 in excess of the number on the register for the preceding year, when the figure was 106,734. The turn-over in 1917 indicates a very substantial increase over the total recorded for 1916, the amounts being: for the latter year £6,099,880, and for 1917 £7,574,438—an increase of £1,474,558. The figures show an average for each society in 1916 of £4,700, and in 1917 £8,000—an increase of £3,300—and an average per member of £57 in 1916 and £66 in the following year. Affiliation fees rose from £1,465 in 1916 to £1,793 in 1917, an increase of £328; and the subscriptions increased from £1,792 to £2,921—an excess of £1,129. These figures, notwithstanding the slight decrease in the number of societies, indicate satisfactory progress and increasing appreciation of the Society's work. The report gives interesting details of its operations in different departments, all of which will come under review at Thursday's meeting. On the night preceding the meeting there will be a social gathering of the delegates at 8 o'clock in the Aberdeen Hall, Gresham Hotel.

PRUDENTIAL ASSURANCE COMPANY.

The Prudential Assurance Company's record for 1918 shows that 84,453 new policies were issued, assuring £13,846,213. The total premiums received amounted to £6,770,839, being an increase of £1,275,634 on the figure for 1917. The claims paid total £1,802,043, and the endowments matured reach the sum of £3,535,933. In the Industrial Branch the premium income stands at £10,715,566, being an increase of £1,104,462 on 1917, and the claims paid and endowments matured stand at £5,091,746. The free policies granted number 55,374, making a total of 22,256,570 policies now in force. A sum of £4,928,796 has been paid since August, 1914, as war claims, and influenza claims in the Industrial Branch only are represented by £650,000 for November and December of the year under review, while over £8,500,000 has been paid in National Insurance benefits since January, 1913. In the Dublin District Office claims to the extent of £35,952 have been paid during 1918. The balance sheet reveals sound business on the part of the company, whose total invested funds now exceed £109,000,000.

SPRING ASSIZES.

FARMER SENTENCED FOR SEDITION.

MR. JUSTICE KENNY AND THE COLLINSTOWN RAID.

At Londonderry City Assizes yesterday, a young man named Robert Anderson was charged, before Mr. Justice Kenny and a special jury, with unlawful assembly at Colgagh, Co. Sligo, on the 16th June last, inciting to riot, and using treasonable and seditious language. The case had been sent forward to Londonderry City from the County of Sligo under the Crimes Act.

When put on his plea, the accused said—Without being disrespectful to the Court, I wish to say that as an Irish Volunteer I cannot on principle acknowledge the Court.

Head Constable Murphy, Sligo, said that on the 16th June he and Constables Long and McGurk attended a meeting in Colgagh, near Sligo, at which about a hundred people were present. The prisoner was then addressing the meeting, and afterwards introduced a man named Hayes, who said—"England has controlled and robbed Ireland for the past 750 years. They have done it by force, with the bayonet and baton, with the rotten soldiers and rotten peelers. There will be no peace in Ireland until these are cleared out, bag and baggage. I say to the people: Take and seize every police barrack and every military barrack. Until that is done you will be slaves and can never enjoy independence. I say to the Volunteers: Don't slacken in your resolve; don't show any weakness, but keep on drilling and preparing. You will soon get your chance—perhaps, in a month or so. The Germans, thank God, are going ahead, and they will be victorious. According to this day's and yesterday's papers, they are striking at the gates of Paris, and I pray, with the help of God, that they may soon be striking at the rotten gates of London. Don't be looking for favour from the rotten King. I understand the military will shortly tour Ireland for the purpose of getting recruits. I say let no man join the rotten military, the rotten Navy, or the rotten peelers. If they do they deserve the curse of their grandfathers and mothers, and the lowest pits of hell would be too good for them. A military barrack room is not the proper place for an Irishman."

When Hayes had finished his speech the prisoner said—"I endorse every word Mr. Hayes has said in his eloquent speech as to recruiting. Well, if any man joins the military or police let him do so, but if he does he richly deserves the death that awaits him."

Witness added that he did not take any notes at the meeting, but, when he returned to the barracks he wrote out his recollection of what was said. The constables did the same, but they wrote their reports separately in their own rooms. Witness arrested the prisoner on the 9th December.

Cross-examined by the prisoner, witness said that he and the constables discussed the speeches on the way to the barracks, and they agreed that if an attempt was made to take the police barracks the people would have something to do to take it. (Laughter.)

His Lordship—Apparently after last night's attempt in Dublin it would be very easy.

Witness informed his Lordship that the prisoner was a farmer. He was formerly a teacher or professor in Sligo.

Prisoner said that as an Irish Volunteer, and without any disrespect to the *personnel* of the Court, he could not consistently recognise the authority by which it acted. At the same time, he admitted he endorsed the speech, but he said the police were there to report a seditious speech, and they perverted and exaggerated what was said. He did not endorse the speech in the words attributed to him. Responsible Sinn Feiners and Sinn Fein headquarters would be the first to condemn the speech as reported by the police.

The jury found the prisoner guilty.

His Lordship said that the speech was of an extremely wicked and most mischievous character, having regard to the state of not only County Sligo, but the whole Western and Southern counties at the time. He sentenced the prisoner to twelve months' imprisonment, with hard labour.

STATISTICAL SOCIETY OF IRELAND.

IRISH BANKS AND AMALGAMATION.

Sir William J. Thompson, M.D., Registrar-General for Ireland, presided last evening at the fifth meeting of the present session of the Statistical and Social Inquiry Society of Ireland.

Mr. R. J. Kelly, K.C., in the course of a paper on "Irish Banks and Amalgamation," stated that British, and, of course, Irish, banks are now face to face with an unprecedented and very anxious condition of things, and British and Irish banking may in a sense be thought to be nearing a crisis. To meet the altered situation some British banks were resorting to the expedient of amalgamation. The extent to which these amalgamations had gone and the consequent vast resources put at the disposition of the amalgamated concern, placing millions under the control of a single board, and, not infrequently, under the authority of one individual on that board, its able, powerful president, constituting him alone a deciding factor in the financial world, making him a positive power in the money market—all this was being regarded by thoughtful men as creating and leading to a serious state of things. The enormous growth of already big banks into bigger banks and its resultant possibilities, if it continues to expand, will certainly lead to Government control, and from Government control to nationalisation is but a step. The apathy on the part of the Irish public to these bank amalgamations was his apology for bringing his views before this Society, so that the dangers we run from having any more of our Irish banks become English-controlled institutions may be realised in time and averted, if possible.

IRISH JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Every Irishman looked with special pride upon the present sound, satisfactory, and strong position of our nine Joint Stock Banks—now unhappily reduced to seven. English banking institutions never looked with friendly eye upon them until they became strong, and now they were eager to swallow them up. Why this zeal? Because the Irish banks had become possessed of relatively large resources, obtained from the Irish people, which resources the English banks seemed anxious to be in a position to dispose of to their own countrymen, and for their advantage Irishmen must, therefore, watch this zeal for the possession of their banks, not necessarily with suspicion, but with cautious care. They had come to Ireland not to bring money here, but to take money away; and they were now, by a process of peaceful penetration, on the German system, acquiring a formidable financial hold over the resources and industries of this country. Until matters in the commercial world and the money market resumed pre-war normal conditions it was difficult to determine how amalgamation may work; but on general principles the control of the Belfast Bank and the Ulster Bank by English banks deprived them of the power of independent action, and necessarily subordinated them to the interests of the predominant partners. English banks, as a rule, never invested money on Irish enterprise, and were not likely to do so now. He hoped that the example set by the two Northern banks would not spread, and that our Irish banks, stable, sound, and popular as they are, will continue, as they commenced, Irish institutions.

The President said that the Society was indebted to Mr. Kelly for a valuable paper on a subject of great importance to this country, and he moved that the Society do formally thank him for it.

Sir John R. O'Connell, in seconding the motion, said that if large financial institutions in England obtained control over the deposits in Irish banks it was to be feared that the money would be used in England for the benefit of English industry, and not for the benefit of Irish industry or for the reconstruction which was so much talked of. Ireland was profoundly concerned in the question with which Mr. Kelly had dealt, and amalgamation of banks should be opposed in every way in their power. (Hear, hear.)

Professor Oldham said that he did not agree with Mr. Kelly's views of Irish banks. He thought that Irish banks were narrow-minded institutions that took no risks. They did not trust a man of character, but required full security for any money that they lent. He thought that it was a good thing that English banks should get a footing in Ireland, because they might do business on more adventurous lines.

The motion was passed.

THE BELFAST PRISONERS.

ACTION OF THE DUBLIN CORPORATION.

As a result of the deliberations of the Dublin City Council in Committee, it has been decided that meetings shall be held adjacent to the several Roman Catholic churches in Dublin after last Mass to-morrow, at which a statement issued by the Lord Mayor, on behalf of the Corporation, in reference to the treatment of the prisoners in Belfast Jail will be read. There will also be read a joint letter from the Lord Mayor and the Roman Catholic Bishop of Down and Connor, to the Chief Secretary on the subject, and the following resolution will be submitted for adoption:—

> We have listened with amazement to the system of equivocation resorted to by the two Chief Secretaries, to deny the promises made to the Most Reverend Doctor MacRory, Lord Bishop of Down and Connor, and the Lord Mayor of Dublin, in reference to these prisoners. We hereby express our unanimous belief in their version of the facts. We view with horror the treatment of these prisoners, and we call upon the Government to immediately release them.

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10 Harcourt st., Dublin, provides Specialised Tuition in Shorthand, Typewriting, and Book-keeping, etc. The most up-to-date Commercial School in Ireland. Shorthand Speed Classes to suit all rates. Proficient Students assisted to Situations. 768 Certificates in Shorthand, Typewriting, and Book-keeping obtained by Students of the School since January, 1917.—(Advt.)

SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

St. Patrick's Cathedral.—8, Holy Communion. 11.15, Matins. Psalms, cx., cxi., cxii. Te Deum, Jubilate, Stanford in A. Anthem, "Distracted with care and anguish" (Haydn). Preacher, the Dean. 12.30 p.m., Holy Communion (choral). Kyrie, Credo, Cobb. Sanctus, Gloria, Steward in G. Offertory, Hewson, 15. 3.15 p.m., Magn., N. Dim., Stanford in A. Anthems, 1st, "The Lord is nigh unto them" (Sullivan); 2nd, "Blessed Jesu, Fount of mercy" (Dvorak). Preacher, Rev. H. J. Lawlor, D.D., Precentor.

Christ Church Cathedral.—11, Matins. Te Deum and Benedictus, Byrd in D. minor. Introit, "Come unto Me" (Smith). 11.45, Holy Communion, Wesley in E. Preacher, the Rev. Canon Weir. 3.30, Evensong. Magn. and Nunc Dim., Kelway in B minor. Anthem, "Out of the deep" (Walford-Davies). Preacher, the Rev. R. M. Gwynn.

Chapel Royal.—11.30, Morning Service. Venite, 103. Chants for Psalms, 105, 106. Te Deum, Brewer in B flat. Anthem, No. 322, "Judge me, O God" (Mendelssohn). Hymn before Sermon, No. 21 (Army Book). Hymn after Sermon, No. 21 (Army Book). Preacher, Rev. Canon J. H. Kennedy, D.D., Rector of Stillorgan. The Chapel is open to the public.

Royal Hospital, Kilmainham.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer.

College of St. Columba.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Service. Te Deum, Hopkins in G. Benedictus, Read in D. Anthem, "Lo, my Shepherd is divine" (Haydn). Hymn, "Lead, Kindly Light." Preacher, the Rev. the Warden. 6.30, Evening Service. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Adlam in G. Anthem, "Come, Holy Ghost" (Attwood). Hymn, "Glory to Thee, my God."

St. Matthias's Parish.—11.30, Holy Communion. 3.30. 7, Evening Prayer.

St. Ann's.—8, Holy Communion. 10 and 11.30, Rev. J. H. Alcock. 7, Rev. Canon Day.

Baggotrath.—8.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. Canon Mervyn. 3.30 and 7, Rev. W. J. Hanan.

Holy Trinity, Rathmines.—8, Holy Communion. 10, 11.30, and 3.30, Rev. H. P. Forde. 4.30, Rev. F. E. Bland. 7, the Rector.

Christ Church, Leeson Park.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. P. Shortt. 7, Rev. J. P. Phair.

St. Columba's, Ranelagh.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. P. Phair. 7, Rev. J. Tobias.

St. Andrew's.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. A. Hobson. 7, Rev. R. Northridge.

St. Peter's Parish.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. F. E. Bland. 7, Rev. E. G. Sullivan.

Magdalen Asylum.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. E. G. Sullivan. 7, Rev. W. P. Webb.

St. Werburgh's Parish.—11.15, Rev. J. C. Irwin. 7, Rev. C. R. Kitching.

St. Mark's.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. J. F. M. Cox. 7, Rev. R. Northridge.

Mission Church.—11.30, Rev. H. W. B. Thompson. 7, Rev. D. V. O'Meara.

St. Thomas's.—8.15, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. E. G. Burland. 7, Rev. H. W. Donald.

Drumcondra Parish.—11.15, Holy Communion. 12, Rev. B. W. Horan. 7, Rev. H. C. Cave.

North Strand Parish.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. H. C. Cave. 7, Rev. C. G. Shaw.

St. Stephen's.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 10, 11.30, Rev. Chas. Dowse. 7.

St. Bartholomew's.—8, Holy Communion. 11.15, Matins and sung Eucharist, Rev. W. C. Simpson. 4, Rev. Owen Slacke. 7, Evensong and Miserere. Solemn Te Deum.

Molyneux.—11.30, Morning Service and Holy Communion, Rev. H. Vere Flint. 7, Rev. A. Morrow.

St. Barnabas'.—8.15, 11.30, and 7, Rev. D. H. Hall.

St. Mary's Parish.—11.30, Rev. J. Riversdale Colthurst. 7, Evening Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. J. O. Gage Dougherty.

St. Mary's Chapel of Ease.—11.30 and 4, Rev. J. O. Gage Dougherty. 7, Rev. H. Alcorn.

St. Catharine's.—11.30, Rev. C. R. Kitching. 7, Rev. N. P. Luce, M.C.

St. Victor's.—8 and 11.30, Rev. E. Mitchell. 7, Rev. J. B. Smyth.

St. Jude's.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer, Rev. R. Gibbon Proctor. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. E. G. Burland.

St. James's Parish.—11.30, Holy Communion, Rev. R. B. Blackwell-Smyth. 7, Rev. E. Mitchell.

St. James's District.—11.30, Rev. Ernest Hunt. 7, Rev. J. Crawford Irwin.

St. Kevin's.—11.30, Rev. A. Morrow. 7, Rev. H. Vere Flint.

Monkstown Parish.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7.

Clontarf Parish.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. F. Shearman. 7, Rev. John Connell.

Sandford Parish.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. T. Good. 7, Rev. T. A. Harvey.

Tullow Parish.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 6.30 p.m.

Rathfarnham Parish.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. Canon Day. 7, the Rector.

St. Philip's, Milltown.—11.30, the Rector. 7, Rev. C. W. Welland.

All Saints', Grangegorman.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Choral Celebration, Rev. Canon Hayes. 7 p.m.

St. Mobhi's, Glasnevin.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7.

All Saints', Raheny.—8.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 6.30, the Rector.

Harold's Cross Parish.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. Canon Jennings. 7, Rev. Canon Somerville.

Mariners' Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. H. L. Eves. 7, Rev. Canon H. B. Kennedy.

Chapelizod Parish.—11.30, Rev. T. Bradley. 7, Rev. E. W. Greening.

Zion Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. D. V. O'Meara (Irish Society). 7, Rev. W. N. Harvey.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES.

Abbey Church, Rutland square.—12, Rev. Alex. Hall. 7, Rev. Dr. Osborne.

Adelaide Road.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. K. Hanna.

St. Andrew's, Blackrock.—11.30 and 7 (United Service), Rev. James Snowdon.

Bray.—11.30 and 7, Rev. H. P. Glenn.

Chapelizod.—4.30, Rev. A. Gailey.

Clontarf.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. L. Morrow.

Donore.—11.30 and 7, Rev. John Newell.

Greystones.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Dr. Irwin.

Howth.—11.30 and 7 (United Service), Rev. H. C. Waddell.

Kingstown.—11.30, Rev. F. Stuart Gardiner. 7, United Service in Congregational Church.

Lucan.—11.30 and 7, Rev. A. Gailey.

Malahide.—4, Rev. H. C. Waddell.

Ormond Quay.—12 and 7, Rev. F. C. Gibson.

Rathgar (Christ Church).—12, Rev. Dr. Taylor. 7, Rev. S. Matthews.

Sandymount.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Crockett.

United Free Church of Scotland, Lower Abbey street.—12 and 7, Rev. William Proctor.

Dublin Presbytery's City Mission, Whitefriar street Hall, 6½ Whitefriar street—Free Breakfasts for the Poor, 8.15. Sabbath School, 3.15. Evangelistic Service, 4.30.

North Strand Hall.—Lantern Service, 8.30 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCHES.

Clonliffe.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Richard M. L. Waugh.

Clontarf.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. A. Bracken.

Sutton.—11.30, Rev. T. E. Gibson.

Howth.—7, Rev. T. E. Gibson. United Service.

Abbey street.—11.30 and 7 p.m., Rev. Charles S. Greaves.

Sandymount.—11.15 and 7, Rev. J. T. Burchell.

Ringsend.—11.30 and 7, Mr. J. A. Duncan.

Bray.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. E. Gentleman.

Charleston Road.—11.30, Rev. James M. Alley. 7, Rev. Lindsay H. Cullen.

Brighton Road.—11.30, Rev. Lindsay H. Cullen. 7, Rev. James M. Alley.

Dolphin's Barn.—11.30, Rev. James Grubb. 7, Rev. Bertram Carson Moran.

St. Stephen's Green.—11.30, Rev. Wm. Crawford, M.A. 7, Rev. James Grubb.

Victoria street.—11.30, Rev. B. C. Moran. 7, Rev. W. B. Lumley.

Kingstown.—11.30, Rev. A. Egan. 7, united Service in Congregational Church.

Dalkey.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Dr. Park.

Blackrock.—11.30, Rev. R. C. Philips. 7, united Service in Presbyterian Church.

Blackhall Place.—11, Rev. S. T. Boyd. 7, Rev. A. B. Duncalfe, C.F.

Inchicore.—11, Rev. A. B. Duncalfe, C.F. 7, Rev. S. T. Boyd.

Lucan.—11.30, Rev. E. de Courcey.

Celbridge.—4, Rev. E. de Courcey.

OTHER CHURCHES.

Moravian Church, Lower Kevin street.—11.30, Rev. J. E. Hutton.

Kilmainham Congregational.—11.30 and 7. Preacher at both, Rev. Philip Davis.

Harcourt Street Baptist.—11.30 and 7, Pastor T. S. Metrustry.

Deverill Place Baptist.—7 p.m., Pastor Stephen Madden.

Whorton Hall Baptist Mission.—7 p.m.

York street Congregational.—11.30 and 7, Rev. T. J. Galley.

Kingstown Congregational.—11.30, Rev. J. H. Atkinson. 7, united Service; Rev. F. S. Gardiner.

Baptist Tabernacle, Kingstown.—11.30, Mr. A. W. Tweedall. 7, Mr. W. Porter.

Phibsborough Baptist.—11.30 and 7, Pastor J. W. Pearce.

Unitarian Church, St. Stephen's Green.—12 and 7, Rev. E. Savell Hicks.

Ringsend Mission Hall.—Sunday at 4, address by Mr. A. H. Gibson.

George's Hall.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. G. Wimperis. 4, men's meeting; Mr. J. Brennan.

Fairview Hall.—12, Mr. Callaghan. 8.30, Mr. J. S. Godden.

Gilford Hall.—4, Lieut.-Colonel Beresford.

Grosvenor Hall.—7 p.m., address by Mr. Chas. Leech.

Society of Friends.—6 Eustace street, 11; Monkstown, 11 and 7 p.m.; Churchtown, 11; Bray, 11.30; 83a Rathmines road, 11 and 7 p.m.

The Salvation Army.—Richmond street, South—Local Officers; Abbey street, Lower—Ensign Critchley; Kingstown, Patrick street—Lieutenant Peter Smith. 11.30 a.m. 3.30 and 7.30 p.m.

Merrion Hall.—At 12 and 7, Mr. J. McFarlane.

First Church of Christ Scientist, Dublin (a Branch of The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), 35 Molesworth street.—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m.; Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. The Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open free to the public from 1 to 6 p.m. every week-day except Saturday.

CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

City of Dublin Y.M.C.A.—To-night at 8, men's prayer. Sunday, 5 to 6 p.m., young men's conversational Bible class; Mr. John Leech, K.C. Wednesday, 8 p.m., prayer. Sunday, 8.45 p.m., Gospel meeting; special Lantern Service, entitled "The Life of St. Patrick," conducted by Mr. H. Mumford. Boys' Department—Sunday, 5 to 6 p.m., Bible class. Wednesday, 8 p.m., prayer meeting.

Kingstown Men's Christian Institute.—To-morrow, 8.30 p.m., address by Professor H. W. Mackintosh.

Kingstown Y.M.C.A.—8.15 p.m., Mr. W. H. Rankin.

Rathmines Y.M.C.A.—Sunday, 10.15, Prayer, Mr. C. C. Warner, J.P.; 4.30, Conversational Bible, Mr. W. H. Wallace; 8.30, Gospel, Professor Carpenter.

St. Mary's Parish.—Prayer Meeting to-night in the Mountjoy street Schools, at 8 o'clock.

AUCTION SALES.

Messrs. Battersby and Co.

In our auction columns to-day Messrs. Battersby announce the sale of Knapton, Monkstown, on 26th inst. and an important property sale on 3rd April, when several attractive lots will be offered for competition. The following week—viz., 10th April—the Butterly Estate, Drumcondra, comes under the hammer, and on Thursday, 17th April, a further sale will take place. Particulars may be seen in our auction columns.

Messrs. MacArthur.

An important group of public sales is announced in our auction columns by Messrs. MacArthur. They have sold the seaside villas, 3 and 4 Island View terrace, Skerries. On next Friday, 28th inst., a large house property auction will be conducted at the Talbot street salerooms. The various lots to be disposed of include:—Modern residence, 40 Addison road, Fairview, with possession; recently built medium-sized houses, 7, 8, 9, and 10 Courtown terrace, Susanville road, Drumcondra; five small houses in Joy street, Ringsend; modern cottage houses, 16, 17, 18, 19, and 20 Sydney terrace, West road, North Strand, and premises in Leinster street, North Strand, comprising two small dwellings, cattle sheds, stabling, yard, etc. On 11th proximo another property auction will be held by Messrs. MacArthur.

PICTURE PALACE LICENCE.

Mr. J. O'Connor (instructed by Messrs. Crowley and Bolger) on behalf of Mr. Thomas Martin Fry, renewed an application made at a previous Sessions for a licence for a picture palace in Parnell street, in the vicinity of the Rotunda Hospital. Counsel said that in the interval the Governors of the hospital had intimated to his client that they did not object to the application.

Mr. O'Flaherty (of the Chief Crown Solicitor's Office) said that was so.

The Recorder granted a licence for six days, and said he would consider whether he would extend it so as to include Sundays.

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Foreign Departures—Nil.

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COMING EVENTS.

"Protestantism and What It Stands For."—A lecture under the above title will be delivered next Wednesday evening, 26th inst., at 8 o'clock, in the Gregg Memorial Hall, Dawson street, by Rev. T. C. Hammond, M.A. Mr. E. N. Wynne, J.P., will occupy the chair. The meeting will be open to the public.

7th Royal Dublin Fusiliers.—As will be seen by our advertising columns, it is proposed to hold a dinner for surviving members of "D" Company of the 7th Royal Dublin Fusiliers ("The Pals") on the 9th April. It is hoped that all members of the original company, who can possibly do so, will arrange to be present.

Irish Association of Advertising Men.—Under the auspices of the Irish Association of Advertising Men, a public lecture, entitled "Making Advertising Pay," will be given in the Council Room, Dublin Chamber of Commerce, on Tuesday next, by Mr. L. H. Hartland-Swann, Managing Director of Icilma Co. Ltd., London. The chair will be taken at 8 o'clock by Sir Thomas W. Robinson, J.P.

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Books of the Week.

MODERN GERMANY.

Sir A. W. Ward has brought to a conclusion his history of Germany in the nineteenth century. His third volume displays the qualities which mark its two predecessors. It is learned, it is lucid, and, above all, it breathes the atmosphere of fairness. To those who know the Master of Peterhouse this last excellence will seem synonymous with all his work. Still, it is good to know that an author can write of events of our own day and preserve as impartial an attitude as if he were dealing with the history of a thousand years ago. This impartiality does not imply any lack of interest in the narrative, which palpitates with life.

The limit which the author has marked for himself is the year 1890, though in two supplementary chapters he brings his tale to the year 1907. We note with interest that Sir A. W. Ward contrives to gather the facts—*e.g.*, on Alsace-Lorraine—into a connected account. This is his plan throughout, and the skilfulness with which it is executed excites our admiration. The opening chapter reminds one of the situation at present, for in 1919, as in 1871, we are dealing with indemnities, armies of occupation, cession of provinces, and the like. The Germans had as lively a distrust of the power of the French to carry out their treaty engagements as we have of the power of the Germans at this moment.

The account of the *Kulturkampf*—the conflict with Rome—is marked by a due sense of perspective. Sir A. W. Ward is well aware how deeply the quarrels of the present are rooted in the history of the past, and we see that Bismarck's legislation against the Church of Rome stretches back to the Reformation settlement. The author remarks that under the second May laws the parishioners might elect their priest, and this he regards as an unexpected Presbyterian touch. It is a touch, however, entirely in keeping with the genius of the Lutheran Church. The doctrine of the priesthood of the believers implies their equality, their power to choose the minister they require for their spiritual needs.

Throughout the volume the outstanding figure is that of Bismarck, and Sir A. W. Ward, in the space at his disposal, outlines not only the work of the statesman, but also the statesman himself. Bismarck's quarrel with von Arnim, his dislike of the Empress Augusta, and her dislike of him, are used as episodes to throw light on one of the greatest of Germans. No man has left a greater mark on Germany, save Luther and Frederick the Great. The pity is that of the three great Germans Frederick the Great and Bismarck hated the control of government by the people. On the other hand, a perusal of "The Liberty of a Christian Man" proves, *pace* Lord Acton, that Luther was at one time of his life an ardent admirer of freedom and of toleration.

Perhaps, no chapter in the book will give the reader greater pleasure than that which deals with German social and intellectual life from 1850 to 1900. All aspects are covered, and the reader possesses from it a new and illuminating view of the German intellectuals. The bibliography on this chapter—and indeed on the whole book—is particularly good. The only serious omission which we noted was that of Mr. Gooch's book on the historians of the nineteenth century.

"Germany, 1871-1890." By Sir A. W. Ward. Cambridge: The University Press. Vol. III. 12/6.

THE NEW ELIZABETHANS.

These laid the world away; poured out the red
Sweet wine of youth; gave up the years to be
Of work and joy, and that unhoped serene
That men call age. . . .

So sang the most famous of them ere he, too, gave up his life on seagirt Lemnos. In their exuberance, their passionate love for their country—its "loam so sunset brown"—their valiancy which feared not death because they had learned what Sir Henry Vane called "the learning and practice of dying well," these "New Elizabethans" proved themselves more than the compeers of their famous ancestors. But the New Elizabethans were not merely the compeers of the Old in their exploits; they surpassed them because their motives were purer. Lust of gold, fierce hatred of their Spanish enemies, intrigues against one another, leave dark stains upon the biographies of Drake and Raleigh, and even upon that of "the flower of England," Sir Philip Sidney himself. From these darker motives the New Elizabethans one and all are free, while the most remarkable of all their common traits of character, as revealed in these short biographies, is the absence of any hatred towards an enemy whose methods of warfare have earned for him the opprobrium of the whole world.

The truth is that no room was left for hatred in the composition of these brilliant young men. They were too full of the joy of life, too full of love for humanity itself, to find the time or the energy for hating anyone. This is a rich and vivid gallery of portraits of young men fallen in the war that Mr. Osborn has brought together for our inspiration, and a gallery to which we can resort time and again—alike in days of doubt and depression as in the hour of the victory purchased for us by their young life-blood—to learn what are the essential elements in our racial character that have made us the torch-bearers of modern civilisation. The most notable feature of Mr. Osborn's gallery is the diversity in the portraits contained therein—diversity of birth, of up-bringing, of religion, of ideals, of temperament. Campbell of Argyll, Brooke (of Fermanagh), Lister, Grenfell, Poulton, Palmer, Wilding, Kettle—these be names to bring the flush of pride to the cheeks of Britons the wide world round. Poets, athletes, politicians, hunters, professional soldiers, their pursuits were as varied as their temperaments, but they were sportsmen all. They hated the animal side of war, but drew inspiration for the days to come from its spiritual aspect. For them the fact of victory, did they know it—and we cannot but believe that they do—would have been of itself sufficient reward. Their epitaph has been finely written by the Poet Laureate in the lines:—

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HELPS IN HISTORY.

The series, "Helps for Students of History," makes a strong appeal to all who care to understand the documents on which the story of the past is based. The editors, Mr. Johnson and Mr. Whitney, have secured the co-operation of specialists, who give the reader the benefit of their lifelong experience. The price, too, of these admirable booklets is so low as to place them within the means of all. Mr. C. Johnson contributes learned and lucid accounts of "The Public Record Office (London)" and of "The Care of Documents." In the former he outlines the classes of documents preserved in that great institution, of which he has the honour of being an official. Technical terms are explained, and the reader is put on the path of finding his way about the manuscripts. Every line of "The Care of Documents" bespeaks the official who places himself absolutely at the service of the public. Indeed, so far does Mr. Johnson carry this idea that he urges that officials should not write history. Their prime duty is to help the historian, and, that discharged, they must rest content. The succinct setting forth of the principles underlying the care of documents is wholly admirable. Mr. Johnson disapproves of long introductions to calendars; yet, as we think of all that we owe to Mr. Brewer's introductions, we hesitate to yield our complete assent.

In "Episcopal Registers of England and Wales" Mr. Fowler provides us with a careful survey. He indicates what registers have been published, and his incidental remarks are helpful. The dioceses of Exeter and Hereford bear the best record for looking after their registers, and Norwich and the Archbishoprics of Canterbury and York bear the worst. Professor Hearnshaw deals with municipal records with the knowledge of one who has had ample experience of them. Scholars know his work on the archives of Southampton, and will be prepared for the merits of this book. Like Mr. Fowler, he indicates carefully what towns have taken the trouble to print the deeds of their past, and he briefly summarises the advantages and the disadvantages of the editions published. Dr. R. L. Poole contributes a singularly illuminating account of mediæval reckonings of time. He sets forth the principles, and applies them to the days, months, and years of mediæval times. We are glad to see Chambeau's rule for finding the day of the week. Lastly, in the "Texts for Students" series, Dr. H. J. White arranges selections from the Vulgate. The printing leaves nothing to be desired.

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"Chronology of the War." London: Constable. 5/- net.
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FOR SECOND READING.

Ever since Bacon introduced the essay as a form of literary composition into England it has become a more and more popular vehicle of expression, especially among those writers who aspire to be remembered as stylists. But there are great differences among essayists themselves. Some—Mr. G. K. Chesterton is one—delight to bewilder their readers by the use of that literary "somersault," the paradox. Others seek to make of the essay a medium through which to express some philosophy of life—like M. Maeterlinck, whose readers, we fancy, value his beautiful prose more than the thoughts which it contains. Lastly, there are those who write simply to please both themselves and their readers, and among these the essayist under consideration must be placed. Slight though these essays of Captain Gwynn's are, they want neither humour nor charm, nor a shrewd insight into human nature. It is in his descriptive pieces that Captain Gwynn is at his best. Three little vignettes in this collection—"A Sunday in Donegal," "English and Irish Gardens," and "The Procession of the Plums"—are nearly perfect of their kind. We cannot help regretting that Captain Gwynn got immersed in the maelstrom of politics, for by nature and rearing he is a lover of the quiet places of the earth. We can assure intending readers of this book that they will find herein matter not for "second reading" only, but for the sixth reading that one friend of the author's declared to be the test of a book's quality.

"For Second Reading." Essays by Stephen Gwynn. Dublin: Maunsel. 4/- net.

INDUSTRIAL RECONSTRUCTION.

The *Memorandum* before us is—as we learn from the preface—the work of a group of men brought together under the auspices of the Garton Foundation to discuss the industrial situation of the country as it was likely to be at the conclusion of the war. Originally published in 1916, the *Memorandum* is of especial value at the present time, when the country is still on the verge of an outburst of industrial anarchy—a situation foreseen by the authors. Any measures which have been taken to cope with the present outbreak of "strike-fever," such as the setting up of the Coal Mines Commission, are but in the nature of palliatives to allay an irritation caused by the Government's interference with the trade union "safeguards," by the fall in the food-purchasing value of money, and by the inevitable reaction following upon the cessation of the mental and physical strain of the years of war. The only real cure consists in a solution of the fundamental problem—"the mutual hostility of employers and employed." The *Memorandum* lays down "four broad principles" which may aid in the solution of this problem, and it sees a *via media* in the joint industrial councils which the Whitley Report recommends for all thoroughly organised trades. These councils, many of which have already been set up, consist of representatives of the employers' association and the trade union of the particular trade, and their business is not only to settle all disputes that may arise between the masters and the workmen, but also to promote in every way the growth of the particular trade. We recommend to the consideration of all who are in any way interested in the settlement of the industrial question this valuable *Memorandum*.

"*Memorandum* on the Industrial Situation After the War": The Garton Foundation. New and Revised Edition. London: Harrison and Sons. 2/- net.

RECENT FICTION.

Mr. Bruce's hero is a young Anglo-Indian, Edgar Fulton, who is attached to a Mission (Ritualist) for medical work. The plot is slight, but the author's vivid pen-pictures of Eurasian life—in the description of which he is ever at his best—and his analysis of the native Christian are wonderfully shrewd, albeit kindly. Fulton doggedly determines to save Betty Stewart, a winsome little Eurasian, from the fate that threatens her of becoming a Temple Girl. He has the native element and a crafty chief priest to contend with, however, and the end of the book leaves us still in suspense. Mr. Bruce breaks off at a tantalising point, but we may presume that he contemplates a speedy continuation of Fulton's romance.

"The Temple Girl." By Henry Bruce. Long. 7/- net.

Mrs. Maynard Crawford's novel of ancient Tyre and Samaria is a notable achievement. It is a romance of the reign of Ahab—with Jezebel for heroine, and Jehu, Captain of the Guard, for hero—and no artificial note is struck in the presentation of time and manners, steeped in the glamour and glory of the old Eastern world. Though she keeps fairly closely to the ground work of the Scriptural narrative, Mrs. Crawford exercises the prerogative of story-tellers, and enlists the reader's sympathies with her principal characters. Her Jezebel is capable of a great and lasting love. Her Jehu is all that is chivalrous and manly, stung by remorse concerning the treacherous part he has played towards the king, and showing nothing of the cruel side of his nature. Elijah the Prophet appears now and then, and heightens the effect of the ancient drama.

"Tyrian Purple." By Amy J. Baker. Long. 7/- net.

This is a pleasing little novel of love and war. The scene is laid in Alsace during the days of the Franco-Prussian War, and the hero is a private in that dread Corps of Punishment whose recruits consisted of criminals convicted of manslaughter or crimes of equal gravity. Needless to say, he had been falsely accused of a crime of which he was innocent; his younger brother was the guilty man. The plot consists in the righting of this mistake, which is further complicated by the fact that the brothers fall in love with the same girl. The author gives an interesting and realistic account of the bitterness of the Alsatians at being brought under German domination, and their resolute purpose never to become "Germanicised," but always to belong in spirit and ideals to the France from which they were torn away. In view of the present fulfilment of their hope this story has an added interest.

"Marcel of the 'Zephyrs.'" By May Wynne. Jarrold. 1/9 net.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

Biography.

PRESIDENT WILSON. By "Africanus." London: Melrose. 2/6 net.
SIR WILLIAM TURNER, K.C.B., F.R.S. By A. Logan Turner, M.D. Edinburgh: Blackwood. 18/- net.

Books Relating to the War.

THE BRITISH CAMPAIGN IN FRANCE AND FLANDERS, 1917. By Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 7/6 net.
LESSONS OF THE WAR AND THE PEACE CONFERENCE. By Oreste Ferrara. London: Harper. 6/- net.

Drama.

MEADOWSWEET. By Seumas O'Kelly. Naas: *Leinster Leader*. 1/-
THE BLACKLEG. By M. F. Waldron. Dublin: Duffy. 9d. net.

Economic.

THE ECONOMIC FOUNDATIONS OF PEACE: THE TRUE BASIS OF A LEAGUE OF NATIONS. By J. L. Garvin. London: Macmillan. 10/6 net.

Fiction.

A MAIDEN IN MALAYA. By Isobel Mountain. Melrose. 5/- net.
OLD JUNK. By H. M. Tomlinson. Melrose. 4/6 net.
ACCORDING TO ORDERS. By F. Britten Austin. Melrose. 5/- net.
THE SHADOW OF THE CROSS. By Paul and Jean Tharaud. Melrose. 5/- net.
WHAT NOT. By Rose Macaulay. Constable. 6/- net.
A DANGEROUS THING. By James Blyth. London: Long. 7/- net.
WHAT SNOW CONCEALS. By Hylda Rhodes. Long. 7/- net

History.

REFERENCES OF ENGLISH HISTORY. By M. E. Hunter and G. G. Ledsam. London: Melrose. 6/- net.
EXPERIMENTS IN INTERNATIONAL ADMINISTRATION. By Francis Bowes Sayre. London: Harper. 6/- net.
HISTORY OF ENNISKILLEN. By W. C. Trimble. Enniskillen. Trimble. Vol. I.

Miscellaneous.

IN ST. PATRICK'S PRAISE (HYMN OF ST. SECUNDINUS). By the Rev. G. F. Hamilton. Dublin: Church of Ireland Publishing Co. 6d. net.
WILL OUR DEAD SOLDIERS COME BACK? By Henry D. Houghton. London: Banks. 1/6 net.
WHY AREN'T ALL THE BEST CHAPS CHRISTIANS? By G. A. Studdert Kennedy, C.F. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 1/6 net.
ON FINDING ENGLAND. By Harold Lake. London: Melrose. 6/- net.
KELLY'S HANDBOOK TO THE TITLED, LANDED, AND OFFICIAL CLASSES. London: Kelly. 20/- net.
THE THIRD BOOK OF ARTEMAS. London: Westall. 2/- net.

Travel.

SPORT AND SCIENCE ON THE SINO-MONGOLIAN FRONTIER. By A. de C. Sowerby. London: Melrose. 12/6 net.

Verse.

THE DALES OF ARCADY. By Dorothy Una Ratcliffe. London: Erskine Macdonald. 3/6 net.
LORDS AND LADIES. By E. Le Neve Foster. Amersham: Morland. 2/6 net.

THEFT OF A CHEQUE BOOK.

In the Southern Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Swifte, K.C.,

Patrick Geraghty, whose address was given as a cottage at the rear of 75 Great Brunswick street, Dublin, was charged with stealing a cheque book containing some twenty blank cheques from an overcoat belonging to Mr. Patrick J. Gaynor, of 14 and 15 Stoneybatter, while it was hanging in the Gaiety Theatre, on February 1st last. Geraghty was also charged with forging the name Edward Fitzgerald (a fictitious person) to one of three cheques, making it payable to Bernard Smith for £4, on 24th February, and with uttering this cheque to Mr. Thomas G. Hudson, teller, National Bank, at Ranelagh, and obtaining £4. Geraghty was further charged with forging the name Bernard Gaynor on a cheque on the National Bank (Smithfield Branch) for £1 10/-, payable to "self," and endeavouring to cash it.

Mr. Gaynor identified the cheque book.

Mr. A. P. Swayne, teller in the National Bank (Camden street Branch), stated that the prisoner, who said he was Edward Gaynor, called to the bank on the 12th March, and asked to have the cheque cashed. Having previously been notified by Inspector Ahearne that there was a young man going about to banks uttering worthless cheques, he became suspicious, and took the cheque to the manager, Mr. Egan, who interviewed Geraghty, and questioned him about the cheque. The manager left the room to telephone for the police, and the prisoner rushed out of the bank before he could be secured, leaving the cheque behind him. He got on a bicycle and rode off quickly in the direction of the city. He got no money on that cheque.

Inspector Ahearne deposed to the arrest of the prisoner, who made no statement. Geraghty was remanded.

An Ottawa telegram, dated Thursday, states: Following a Government caucus to-day it is announced that there is to be a revision of tariff as soon as normal conditions are restored.

INCOME TAX WORRIES.

Are you overcharged? Claims adjusted.—W. & E. Garrett, 6 Bedford st., Belfast. Estd. 20 years.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN CORPORATION EMPLOYES.

A MYSTIFYING POSITION.

FURTHER INCREASE OF WAGES.

A special meeting of the Dublin Municipal Council was held yesterday for the purpose of taking into consideration a motion to the effect that the members of the Irish Clerical Workers' Union in the employment of the Corporation be granted such advances by way of war allowances as have been, or may be from time to time, granted by the awards of the Committee on Production, in the same manner as the grants to the members of the Irish Transport Workers' Union and others—viz., up to the present £1 a week from 6th May, 1918, 23s. 6d. from 10th August, 1918, and 28s. 6d. from the 7th December, 1918, in which sums previous war bonuses shall be merged; and that the approval of the Local Government Board be obtained so far as the same is necessary.

The Town Clerk read a letter, dated 11th March, from Mr. Logue, General Secretary of the Irish Clerical Workers' Union, stating that the National Executive had instructed him to request that effect be given to the resolution adopted by the Municipal Council on March 3rd, by which their members would get the Committee on Production awards. Unless these were granted, they would have to consider the adoption of drastic measures. Drastic action (said the Town Clerk) was threatened some time ago, and he asked the men to stay their hand, and assured them that the Lord Mayor would see that their grievances would be gone into.

Mr. P. T. Daly moved the adoption of the motion, and said that this matter was taken up by the Council in February, but there was no quorum, and on the 3rd March the resolution was adopted giving these clerks the Committee on Production awards; but they had forgotten the adoption of Report No. 290, which, in the present resolution, was now amended. These awards had undoubtedly created a number of anomalies: men doing certain work in one department were paid them, while other men doing similar work for a different committee were not paid the award. This had caused grave dissatisfaction among certain members of the staff. The awards were intended for men who belonged to unions, and he thought that the Council would be doing a wise thing in making these concessions.

Mr. Mulligan seconded the motion.

Mr. Moran moved as an amendment that the question be referred to the Estates and Finance Committee for report as to the cost of the motion, if carried. It was true that the Committee on Production had made certain awards which were applicable to certain departments of the Corporation. These awards were paid reluctantly by the Corporation, because the Corporation felt that they went as far as they could consistently go in the interests of the city, after the estimates had been struck. It was true that there were employés in some of the departments who had got the award, while others who were equally entitled to it by reason of the work that they did did not get it. Those who got it were lucky. The number of men who were to get the increase was not stated, and the Council had no idea of what it would cost. Next week the Corporation would have to deal with estimates bringing the rates up to the borders of 17s. in the £. He was not willing to go into a blind contract like this without knowing what it was going to cost. Even if he knew what the cost would be, he was not going to increase the burden of expenditure at present. These men threatened "drastic action." Well, if they took that drastic action he would be delighted, because in his opinion the Corporation was overstaffed. They could not have an over-staff and at the same time pay them every demand that they choose to make. If he were satisfied that the Corporation had only enough of a staff to do its work, he might be generous in giving something all round. Then, again, the Council had no intimation that the Local Government Board would contribute its share to the increase that might be given to the sanitary staff.

The Lord Mayor said that he believed that they would receive no portion of the increase from the Local Government Board.

Mr. Foley seconded the amendment. A great many anomalies had been created by the award of the Committee on Production, and these anomalies had been added to by the demand of the Clerical Workers' Union on behalf of its members in the Corporation service. He felt in a peculiar position with regard to these demands. (Laughter.)

The Lord Mayor—So are we all. (Hear, hear.) I am completely mystified about the whole thing.

Mr. Foley—There are a lot of persons who do not care how it goes. Within the past two months the whole fabric of the sanitary staff was overhauled, and now here they were demanding this increased pay. There was no information as to the number of men who were to get this increase, and, therefore, the proposal was neither a fair nor a sound one. Dealing with other people's money, it was not fair to ask the Council to do that which might involve them in enormous expenditure, seeing that within a few months the sum of £26,000 had been voted away in increased wages.

The Law Agent, having been appealed to, said that the motion before the Council was only putting in legal form a resolution that had already been adopted.

Mr. Moran wanted to know what wages the clerical staff concerned were receiving, but the question was not answered, and Mr. Daly remarked that the question did not arise.

Alderman T. Kelly said that those who had the interest of the city at heart did not want to see a strike.

Mr. Moran said that what he meant was that if those people went out on strike there would be sufficient staff left to go on with.

Alderman T. Kelly said that he felt no qualms about spending money when that expenditure was brought about by the action of the British Government. At the same time, the members of the Council did not like to be threatened as they were in the letter read by the Town Clerk.

In reply to Mr. Mahon, the Law Adviser said that it meant a bonus of 28s. 6d. a week rise for all.

Mr. Daly said that people who grumbled about the rates should remember that there were "rings" that made it necessary to give these war bonuses.

On the division there voted:—

For the amendment—Messrs. Foley, Moran, and Mahon—3.

Against—Aldermen O'Connor, Byrne, T. Kelly, the Lord Mayor, O'Beirne, and O'Toole; Councillors McGarry, Maher, Long, Brooks, J. S. Kelly, P. S. Doyle, Fox, P. T. Daly, Duffy, M. O'Connor, J. J. O'Neill, Mulligan, Cosgrave, Groome, J. J. Higgins, and M. J. Kelly—23.

The amendment was accordingly declared lost, and the original motion was carried.

LAW REPORTS.

Re-admission of a Solicitor.—At a sitting held in the Court of Appeal by the Lord Chancellor, in the matter of a solicitor and the Solicitors (Ireland) Act, 1898, Mr. S. L. Brown, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. Bennett Thompson and McNeill), applied on behalf of Mr. J. C. Garvey for an order that he be re-admitted to the roll of solicitors. Counsel moved on the affidavit of his client, who had practised as a solicitor in Westport and Castlebar. He set out the circumstances under which Mr. Garvey had been struck off the rolls, and attributed his position to the fact that he had been adjudicated a bankrupt. Counsel said that under all the circumstances the Incorporated Law Society would not place any obstacle in the way of the applicant's re-admission. Mr. Serjeant Matheson, who (instructed by Mr. W. G. Wakely) appeared for the Incorporated Law Society, raised no objection to the application, and said that all the debts and liabilities in respect of which his lordship's predecessor had made the order striking Mr. Garvey off the rolls had been satisfied completely. The parties had been paid in full, not merely by a composition in bankruptcy, and the Society thought that they would not be justified in raising any objection to the application. The Lord Chancellor said Mr. Garvey seemed to have made an honest and earnest effort to retrieve his position. There was nothing apparently in his record beyond financial difficulties and embarrassments, and his lordship had no reason to believe that there was anything that reflected upon his character as a man of honour and honesty. Therefore, he would not stand in his way, and would grant the application.

Receivership Over Rents.—Mr. Justice Powell gave judgment in an application by Mrs. Nita Martin for the appointment of a receiver by way of equitable execution over the income of real and chattel property to which the defendant, Thomas Ernest Martin, was entitled under the will of his deceased father, James Martin, who had been a partner in a firm of builders carrying on business in Dublin and Belfast. The applicant had obtained judgment against the defendant for £221 and costs, and that judgment had been registered. It was stated on affidavit that the defendant had no goods on which to levy judgment, but that under his father's will he was entitled to £400 per annum. It was further alleged that the defendant was at present residing in Llandudno, with the intention, as plaintiff believed, of evading service of a debtor summons. His lordship said he thought the applicant was entitled to the order, but he found that some time ago it had been laid down in the King's Bench, and afterwards by the Court of Appeal, that where a receivership was sought over a person's income, notice of the application should be served. He, therefore, directed notice to be served on the defendant. As there might be difficulty in serving the notice, owing to the defendant residing out of the jurisdiction, his lordship would allow counsel to apply on Wednesday next for leave to substitute service on the defendant's agent in Dublin. Mr. Joseph O'Connor (instructed by Mr. C. Friery) appeared for the applicant.

Commissioner for Oaths.—On the application of Mr. Holmes (instructed by Messrs. Collins and Kennedy) the Lord Chancellor appointed Mr. Samuel J. Whitley as a Commissioner for Oaths for the Petty Sessions District of Schull, Ballydehob, and Goleen, Co. Cork.

Compensation for Injuries.—Mr. Justice Powell received a consent, and made it a rule of Court, in the action brought by Joseph Porter, telegraph messenger, suing through his father, Thomas Porter, of 1 Cottage Row, Bishop street, Derry, against Messrs. Hugh Stevenson, Ltd., biscuit manufacturers, Derry, to recover damages for personal injuries caused by the negligence of the defendants' servants in the driving of a bread van. The consent provided that all further proceedings in the action be stayed on payment by defendants of £199, in addition to the sum of £301 already lodged in Court with their defence, together with £50 for plaintiff's costs. Mr. T. A. Finlay (instructed by Mr. John Tracy) appeared for the plaintiff.

FINANCIAL NEWS.

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PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BELFAST.—BUSINESS DONE:—War Loan 5 p.c., 95; Gt. Northern Rly. Stock, 88½; Fine Cotton Spinners and Dblrs. 5 p.c. Pref., 18/1½; Linen Thread Co. 5 p.c. Pref., 8⅝; Inglis and Co. Ord., 65/-; Mitchell and Co. (of Belfast) 5½ p.c. Pref., 7; M'Connell (J. and J.) Cum. Pref., 6½; Old Bushmills Distillery Ord., 24/3; Antrim Iron Ore "B," 3⅞; Lever Bros. 6 p.c. Cum. "A" Pref., 20/10½; Dunlop Rubber, £5 0/6; Shell Transport, 8⅛; Chartereds, 21/3, 21/6; Marconis, £4 11/6; Marconis Marine, 3½; Belfast Corporation, 1930, 3 p.c., 72.

BIRMINGHAM.—Business fair and distinctly better tone. Rolls Royce, Rovers, and Triumphs all 6d. lower; Hughes Johnsons and Warlands substantially lower. Austins, 27/3; do. Pref., 14/1½; Belsize, 27/9; Components, 17/3; do. Pref., 20/6; do. Def., 17/6; Darracqs, 34/6; Enfields, 32/6; Humber, 19/3; Napier, 32/-; Premier, 2/6; Rolls Royce, 42/6; Rover, 71/-; Rudges, 31/3; Sunbeams, 38/3; Swifts, 32/-; Triumphs, 46/6; Vauxhalls, 29/-; Dunlops, 99/-; Parents, 24/6; do. Def., 64/3; Small Arms, 35/9; Charrons, 20/-; Hughes Johnsons, 54/-; Warland Rim, 61/6.

MANCHESTER.—A rather better tone prevailed in Textiles. Coats, however, lost 2/6 and Sewing Cottons 6d. Closing prices:—Bleachers, 23/- to 23/3; do. Pref., 18/9 to 19/-; Bradford Dyers, 37/6 to 38/-; do. Pref., 18/6 to 18/9; "Slubbers," 7/3 to 7/6; Calico Printers, 15/- to 15/3; do. Pref., 15/3 to 15/6; Coats, 7⁵⁄₁₆ to 7⅜; Sewing Cottons, 75/6 to 76/-; do. Pref., 18/- to 18/3; Fine Spinners, 41/- to 41/6; do. Pref., 18/- to 18/3; Velvets, 36/- to 37/-; do. Pref., 16/9 to 17/3.

RUBBER RETURNS FOR FEBRUARY.

Beverley, 3,917 lbs. (3,955); Bukit Panjong, 30,437 lbs. (48,737); Holyrood, 5,800 lbs. (4,200); Merton, 13,150 lbs. (14,000); Selangor River, 61,658 lbs. (62,357). (Returns for February, 1918, are given in parentheses.)

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

Canadian Pacific Railway Co.—The results of the operations of the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. for the year ended December 31st last were:—Gross earnings from railway and lake steamers, $157,537,698; working expenses, $123,035,310; net earnings from railway and lake steamers, $34,502,388; deduct fixed charges, $10,177,513; surplus, $24,324,875. Deduct contribution to Pension Fund, $500,000; net earnings of Commercial Telegraph for January and February, 1918, transferred to special income account, $193,977—$693,977; net revenue from earnings of railway and lake steamers, available for dividends, $23,630,898. After payment of all dividends declared for the year the surplus from earnings of railway and lake steamers is $2,203,621. The special income for the year, after making allowances for contingent reserves, is $8,138,751.

We are informed that Mr. Jules J. Hessen, the Managing Director of the Eastern Company of Petrograd and the Caucasus and Mercury Shipping Company, has just arrived in London from Petrograd. Notwithstanding the dangers and extreme privations, he stayed at his post in Petrograd until January last, and succeeded in transferring the bulk of his fleet from the River Volga to the Caspian Sea, where it is now under the protection of the British flag. Mr. Hessen left Petrograd only after having learnt that the Bolsheviks had issued an order for his arrest on charges of counter-revolutionary action. He is in England in connection with the establishment of shipping services from this country to Russia in conjunction with the Cunard Line.

WEST CLARE AND SOUTH CLARE RAILWAYS.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS.

The annual general meetings of the West and South Clare Railway Companies were held at the Companies' Offices, 39 Dame street, Dublin, Mr. William Martin Murphy, Chairman of Directors, presiding. The other directors present were:—Messrs. James Wm. Lombard, John J. Dudley, Wm. C. Doherty, James MacClancy, Gerald V. Murphy, James Lynch, and Peter McInerney. Also Mr. R. O'Connell Silles [illegible] shareholders, and Mr. W. J. Kennedy, Secretary, Mr. Joseph Dudley, solicitor, and Mr. P. Sullivan, Manager.

The Chairman, in moving the adoption of the directors' report and statement of accounts, remarked that the expenditure for the year 1918 (for both lines) amounted to £43,161, as against £32,127 in 1917, and £23,381 in the year 1913, showing an increase on the latter year of £19,780. Towards this increased cost in working, the Government contributed £15,420, which sum, but for control, would have fallen upon the guaranteeing ratepayers. The balance of £4,360 was met by the increase in the cash collected at the stations. The net results of the year's working were that there was a profit on the West Clare of £1,831 in the October half-year, and a loss of £1,097 in the April half, leaving a net profit on the year of £734. The South Clare Line shows a loss of £1,066 in the April half, and £838 in the October half-year, or a total loss of £1,904 on the working for the year. The wages for the year amounted to the sum of £20,665, as against £8,802 in 1913. The price of the coal used in 1918 was 62s. 6.26d. per ton, as compared with 50s. 9.8d. in 1917, and 25s. 6d. in 1913. While the consumption of coal in 1918 was only 186 tons more than in 1917, it cost £2,128 more. A comparison with 1913 shows an increase in consumption of 40 tons, and in cost of £5,063. The engine mileage for loaded trains showed a decrease of 4,280 miles on the figures of 1917, and 61,941 miles on those of 1913. With the approval of the arbitrators, and with a view to safeguarding the interests of the ratepayers, a further sum of £2,565 13/4 has been provided in the present accounts towards the renewal of the permanent way of both companies, and an additional sum of £1,271 has been contributed by the Government for the purchase of new engines and wagons.

The motion having been seconded by Mr. John J. Dudley, was passed.

The payment, on the 25th inst., of the guaranteed dividend at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, less income tax, was passed unanimously.

Mr. William M. Murphy, the director retiring by rotation, having been re-elected, the auditors, Messrs. Craig, Gardner and Co., were re-elected.

Mr. Doherty proposed, and Mr. MacClancy seconded, a vote of sympathy with the Chairman on the death of his son-in-law, Mr. Michael Murphy. A similar vote was passed to Mr. Barrington in connection with the death of his brother, Mr. John B. Barrington.

The payment of the South Clare dividend at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, less income tax, was passed, and the auditors, Messrs. Craig, Gardner and Co., having been re-elected, the proceedings terminated.

MARKET REPORTS.

GRAIN.—DUBLIN CORN EXCHANGE, Friday.—Market here continues to present quite a deserted appearance, and there is practically no business passing in an open way on which values might be safely recorded. Generally there remains a more or less mark time disposition in trade for Irish grain, particularly where quantity is concerned. Fresh threshed parcels of wheat and oats dribble in, but anything below prime standard is very uncertain in values. Of course, 6/- per quarter of 320 lbs. has been written off Government stocks of Irish oats, ex store, since 17th inst., and this reflects an unrestful feeling in the trade. Maize, too, has been officially reduced 10/- to 15/- per quarter of 480, c.i.f., since 17th inst., but offers are yet very stinted. Indian meal also written cheaper, but difficult to obtain in quantity.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (BALTIC), Friday.—Market generally quiet, and offerings were readily absorbed at official prices. All grades of imported WHEAT quoted 80/- per 480lbs. MAIZE—American, also Argentine, quoted 60/-, and African 65/- per 480lbs. BARLEY—American malting, also No. 3 Canada Western 66/- per 400lbs. OATS—American white clipped afloat, 59/- to 59/6 per 300lbs., as to weight.

MARK LANE, Friday.—ENGLISH WHEAT in fair supply; whites delivered up 73/- to 77/-; reds 73/- to 77/- per qr. 504lbs. Foreign Grades—Limited offers were readily absorbed; No. 1 and No. 2 Northern Manitoba, No. 2 Club Calcutta, Australian spot, choice white Kurachi, Pacific, South Russian, and Argentine, all quoted 84/3 ex ship, with a small business at 84/9 landed. FLOUR quietly steady; home-milled G.R., 44/3 ex mills; imported, 46/3 ex store. GRINDING BARLEY slow; native, 67/- to 70/- 448lbs.; American, 68/- to 70/-; Canadian, 68/- to 70/-. OATS in good demand; native, 46/- to 50/6 336lbs.; Irish, 47/6 landed 320lbs.; Plate, 60/- to 62/- landed 320lbs.; American white clipped, 60/9 to 61/3 landed 320lbs. MAIZE nominal; mixed American, 62/- ex quay; African, 67/- landed; Plate, 62/- ex quay, all 480lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Friday.—C.i.f. parcels of wheat and maize were not offered, but prices were nominally unchanged. WHEAT on the spot was in moderate request, and some allocations of red winters were made at official prices. MAIZE—Spot parcels moderately active, some damaged River Plate being sold at 62/- per quarter. FLOUR quiet, but imported was released to millers on Government terms. BEANS firm and in better demand at higher prices. PEAS, BARLEY and OATMEAL showed no material change. OATS barely steady for Irish, but Scotch were firmly held. C.i.f. parcels of wheat and maize were inactive through lack of sellers.

WAKEFIELD, Friday.—Grain was in small supply and there was a good demand for fine wheat at first. Samples of barley were in request for seed purposes. Good trade for provender oats, and a fair inquiry for English Beans at 5/- a quarter advance.

DERBY CORN, Friday.—A poor market, the bad weather preventing threshing; oats were firmer, and best qualities in good demand at maximum rates; good wheat was scarce, and damaged samples were practically unsaleable. There was nothing doing in beans; no barley.

SULPHATE OF COPPER and Soda Crystals for Potato Spraying. Dealers are invited to book orders now for May, June, and July delivery.—WM. HOOPER and CO., LTD., 11 BURGH QUAY, DUBLIN.—(Advt.)

PROVISIONS.—DUBLIN POTATO, Friday.—Trade for potatoes remains of a comparatively narrow and slow character, but, with prime quality stuff harder to get in quantity, most city factors have found it politic and necessary, especially where handling North of Ireland consignments, to charge 7/6 per cwt. for primest character tubers. Other dealers continue to sell at 7/-, and for secondary descriptions, 6/- to 6/6 per cwt. Supplies in all directions appear ample enough, but there is no disposition in our centre to stock beyond immediate requirements. Quite an unusual thing, too, at this period of season, many County Dublin farmers still have quantities of potatoes on hand to market.

LIVERPOOL, Friday.—There was little change in the situation for American BACON here, the decline in Chicago appearing to have no material effect, importers being again free sellers of Wiltshires, but Cumberlands and bellies were relatively scarce. There was only further moderate demand pending news of the method of the Ministry of Food in liquidating Government holdings, though, as reported yesterday, it is not thought likely that any material advantage can be gained by buyers in holding off, except, perhaps, in some of the inferior brands which may be quoted on their relative value. Shoulders steady for New Yorks and squares, but picnics slow of sale. HAMS met a good demand, and offerings were again insufficient for requirements. LARD on the spot moved moderately, but supplies of both prime steam and American refined were equal to all needs. Some transactions are reported in c.i.f. parcels, chiefly hams. Irish bacon scarce and eagerly absorbed. CHEESE freely accepted by retailers at the controlled price of 1/6 per lb., delivered. BUTTER firm; anything offered finds ready acceptance. EGGS—Irish in good request at 33/- to 34/- for hen and 38/- to 40/- per 120 for duck, but Danish scarce at 33/- to 35/- and Egyptian at 16/8 per 120.

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LONDON, Friday.—BUTTER—A further distribution on the 1oz. basis was made this week; large quantities will shortly become available; Australian, finest, good to fine, unsalted; Irish, creameries, factories; Canadian, finest, secondary; New Zealand, finest, secondary; control prices. CHEESE—The last distribution of all kinds is proceeding, and quality satisfactory; Canadian, new, old, finest, coloured, secondary; New Zealand, white, coloured, secondary; English, finest Cheshire, do. Cheddar, do. Cheddar loaf; Stiltons, loaf; Dutch, finest farmers' Edam, fine, inferior; Gouda, out-shots, Derby, factory Edam, seconds, Gouda, Derby, United States control prices. BACON—There is a good demand for American sides; also for clear bellies; affairs however, are somewhat unsettled pending further developments; Irish in small supply on reduced killings; Irish, 188/- ex factory; Canadian, No. 1 (44 to 62lbs.), 176/6; American Cumberland cut, 174/-; English cut, 200/-; American Wilts cut, 176/6; rib in back, 200/-. HAMS, shoulders and picnics scarce, but rib backs move off slowly; Canadian, long cut green, heavy, short cut green, heavy; American, long cut green, heavy, short cut green, heavy, 170/-; shoulders, square, 143/6; New York, 140/-; picnics, 119/-. LARD plentiful, while slow of sale; Irish, bladders, seconds, kegs, 162/- ex factory f.o.b.; American, pails, 158/-. EGGS in steady demand at firm prices, supplies being on a moderate scale; English, new laid, 33/- to 35/-; Irish, 33/- to 34/-; do. duck, 42/- to 43/-; Danish, 30/- to 35/-; Egyptian, 15/8; American, 26/- to 30/-; South African, 26/- to 32/- per 120.

MANCHESTER, Friday.—Steady demand. IRISH BACON in adequate supplies; American Cumberland cut, demand somewhat improved for American and Canadian. LARD quiet. CHEESE—Allotment insufficient to meet demand on reduced basis of 1/6 per lb. EGGS—Temporary scarcity spot quotations; fresh Irish unchanged; American fresh in quantity due next Monday at 29/- per 120.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE AND FRUIT, Friday.—Stormy and wet weather had a decimating effect on supplies, everything this morning in the way of vegetables being short and prices high. Apples and oranges a very poor sale. York cabbage, 35/- to 45/- and 56/ per load; Savoys, 40/- to 80/- and 110/- per load; rhubarb, 5/- to 9/3 and 9/6 per dozen bunches; cauliflowers, 4/-, 4/6, to 5/3 and 6/- per dozen; carrots, 1/6 to 1/8 per dozen bundles; parsnips, 4/6 to 6/-; Swede turnips, 2/6 per cwt.; leeks, 3d. to 4d. and 6½d. per bunch; turnips, 5d. to 6d. and 10d. per bundle; beet 2/- to 2/3 per load; sprouts, 3/- to 4/-; parsley, 1/6 to 2/- and 2/1 per float; thyme, 1/- to 1/3 per dozen.

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HALSTON STREET POULTRY, Friday.—Supplies of poultry, etc., coming on the market continue to give but a very bare percentage of ordinary times' arrivals. In fact, scarcely ever before has such a consistent shortage from week to week as recently been experienced in our centre. In the circumstances the trade remains difficult to satisfy, and prices in every branch represent full control rates for live and dead offerings. A few counties yet have an open season for hares, but only occasional braces come to hand. Guinea fowl, 4/- to 5/-. Rabbits continue to figure from 1/8 to 2/- and 2/2 each for fresh trapped lots, according to character and weight. Many consignments, however, come in light, with evident traces of late harsh weather effects.

DUBLIN FISH, Friday.—No steamer fish in. Fair supplies from country and local wind trawls and hookers; 14 packages salmon, 6 chests lobsters, 6 boxes herrings, and 58 of mackerel also on market. Good all round sale, although matters closed slow on codfish. Turbot, brill, etc., made around 1/7 per lb., Control figure, and soles, 2/4 per lb.; salmon and live trout, 2/8 to 2/8½ per lb.; best live lobsters averaged 30/- to 40/- per 13; second pick, 15/- to 25/-, and others, 6/6 to 12/6 per 13; large plaice, 8/- to 10/- and 12/6 per 4; others, 5/- to 8/- per 8; half-boxes, 90/- to 160/-, about 18/- per stone; cod fish, 40/- to 50/- and 60/-; ray, 25/- to 30/-; mackerel, 47/- to 50/- per box, and herrings, 45/-.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Friday.—Supply liberal; demand quiet. Scottish salmon, 2/8½; Irish, ditto, soles and slips, 2/0½; turbot and brill, 1/9; lobsters, 3/6 per lb.; halibut, 24/-; lemon soles, 21/-; plaice, 16/-; megrims, 12/-; live cod, 7/-; dead, 5/-; whiting, 7/-; hake, 11/-; skate, 13/-; roker, ditto; gurnet, 7/-; ling, 8/-; haddock, 11/-; bream, 7/-; conger eels, 7/-; Norway herrings, 4/6; monkfish, 8/- per stone; eels, 45/- per drait.

GRIMSBY FISH, Friday.—Fourteen North Sea boats, averaging 200 levels; two Faroe and one Iceland boats, averaging 800, landed moderate supply. Plaice was the chief feature of North Sea voyages, and sold from Control to 12/6 per stone. There was a dearth of haddocks and cod. Sprags and whitings were below needs. Everything was allocated at old Control rates except rough deep sea sprags, 8/6, and coalfish, 4/6 to 6/- per stone.

SMITHFIELD DEAD MEAT (London Central Markets), Friday.—Produce arriving here up to 1 p.m. for market or cold store weighed 623 tons. Of the deliveries 230 tons were British-bred, and 393 tons imported from the Colonies and foreign countries, made up as follows:—

	Beef and Veal. Tons.	Mutton and Lamb. Tons.	Pork and Bacon Tons.	Poultry and Game. Tons.	S'dries Tons.
British-bred ...	112	59	5	34	28
Imported	186	151	20	35	1
Total ...	298	210	25	69	29

Maximum prices ruled for all classes.

BUTTER AND EGGS.—LITTLE GREEN, Friday.—Supplies of butter this week have touched a very low ebb, and with offers in quantity of new season's creams disappointingly late the trade is likely to have a very starved time of it until the first week or so in April. The little butter available is confined to a few factory parcels and poor firkins, but all were quickly snapped up at current rate. Eggs are in good supply, and near arrivals promise freer offerings, but trade for local and export requirements is sharp and values record a distinct advance, at which for the moment the market indicates a steady disposition, around 30/- to 34/- per 120 for hen eggs and 35/- to 37/6 for ducks'. The latter, however, are not plentiful. It would not be a surprise to see prices take a decided downward turn again between now and this day week.

CORK BUTTER, Friday.—Firsts, 272/-; fresh butter, 268/- per cwt.

PRODUCE.—LONDON, Friday.—SUGAR unchanged. With regard to the lower grades of free sugars, it is rumoured that certain business has been effected, but confirmation of same is lacking. Some No. 1 Ilo Ilo for shipment to London was recorded done at about 25/- per cwt., c.f.i. HONEY sells in retail quantities at easy prices. COFFEE—Spot market fully steady for all desirable liquoring grades. RICE dull, as demand on spot account has died out, and home requirements count for little at the moment. Imported BEANS and PEAS sell in retail quantities, and, though obtainable from secondhand sellers at under control prices, fail to attract any appreciable attention. SPICE—Pepper market dull; fair black Singapore spot sellers 9d. Tellicherry 9d., Aleppy 8½d. value; Muntok sold 11½d; white Singapore sellers 11½d. Zanzibar cloves spot sellers 9½d., Pimento 4d. per lb. TAPIOCA slow; fair flake spot sellers 6½d. per lb., do April-May shipment 39/-, medium 32/-, seed 31/-, small sago 30/6 per cwt. Dessicated Cocoanut steady; March shipment 80/; Farina spot sellers 36/-; Sweet Potato Flour 33/. Sago Flour—Parcels due shortly sold 24/6, April-May 20/6 cwt., c.f.i. HEMP of Manila J grade, April-June £59, sellers now asking £60; H.P.F. New Zealand April-June quoted £56, fair £54 per ton. SHELLAC—Small spot sales at late rates. COPRA firm, with few sellers; Malabar April-May quoted £36, Ceylon buyers £36 5/-, but with no counter-offers from sellers; sun-dried Straits quoted £36 per ton, c.f.i. EGG PRODUCTS move off quietly. On spot liquid yolk 190/- per cwt., dried whole egg 4/3, dried yolk 2/3, albumen 4/6 per lb; forward liquid yolk, May-July, sold 78/6 per cwt.; dried yolk, May-July, quoted 1/2; dried whole egg 3/10, albumen 3/11 lb. MENTHOL spot 21/3. PEPPERMINT OIL 5/1½, aniseed 4/4½, slab camphor 8/9, tablets 9/3, eucalyptus oil 3/- per lb; Japan wax 60/- per cwt. RUBBER market firm, being slightly dearer, with a fair demand; standard crepe spot sold 2/0¼, April-June 2/0½, July-December 2/1, October-December 2/1½; ribbed standard sheet spot sold 2/-, March 2/-; fine hard Para spot 2/4½. There is nothing fresh to note with regard to parcels; ex godown crepe spot buyers 1/10½; sheet 1/10; to arrive on c.f.i. terms sheet April-May sold 2/- per lb. TURPENTINE—American spot 95/- per cwt. PETROLEUM firm; American spot 1/4½, water white 1/5½ per gallon.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Friday.—Market unchanged.

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MISCELLANEOUS. — LIVERPOOL COTTON (Second Report), Friday.—American advanced 4 points. Brazilian reduced 28 points. Indian—Fair business done. Egyptian is quiet.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Closing), Friday.—American advanced four points, Brazilian reduced eight points. Indian met a fair business. Egyptian is quiet. Sales 3,000; imports, 68,412 bales; March, 16.87d.; April, 15.97d.; May, 14.43d.; June, 14.21d.; July, 13.98d.; August, 13.67d.; September, 13.41d.

LONDON METALS MARKET.—The market for TIN evidenced a fair demand chiefly respecting April dates, and three months cash being 15/- to 20/- per ton easier since Thursday, and three months, on the other hand, 30/- dearer. Cash, £237 15/- to £238; three months, £234 10/- to £235. Settlement price, £238. 150 tons changed hands; cash, £238; April dates, £238 to £238 10/-; three months, £235, £234, and £234 10/-. English ingots, £235 to £236. COPPER unchanged on spot, and 20/- per ton dearer forward. Cash, £77 to £78; three months, £75 to £75 10/-. Settlement price, £78. Business done in May dates at £76 and £75, and three months, £74 10/- and £74; electros, £82 and £90; best selected, £82 and £80; strong sheets, £114 per ton. LEAD and SPELTER, etc., unchanged.

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HAY AND STRAW.—SMITHFIELD, Friday.—Very little hay of any class on market, but arrivals of straw were fair enough. The extremely wet and unpropitious state of weather made sales tedious and uncertain, but, altogether, prices may be put down as a repetition of Tuesday. In view of shortness of hay there was a run on good feeding straw at full price, but otherwise rates were a bit irregular; wheaten, 2/3 to 3/3; oaten, feed class, 3/10 to 4/6, 4/8, and a few, 4/9; other classes, 2/3 to 3/6 and 3/8 per cwt.

TRADE REPORT.—MANCHESTER, Friday.—Impediments in the way of business are too numerous for any developments on normal lines, and the future is regarded with much concern. Small transactions in bleaching cloths and greys for China are still getting through, but the outcome of Indian inquiry is scarcely worth mention. Neither minor outlets nor home trade have sufficient confidence in current value to venture beyond retail lines. Yarns very slow, and any changes in the direction of weakness.

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LLOYD'S MAIL NEWS.

ADEN, Sunday.—The Ormara, from Delagoa Bay, arrived.
ALBANY, Monday.—The Essex, from Wellington, arrived.
COLOMBO, Tuesday.—The Orari, from Sydney, arrived.
BAHIA, Wednesday.—The Raphael, from Rio de Janeiro, arrived.
BARBADOS, Wednesday.—The Chaudiere, from Halifax for St. Vincent (W.I.), called.
BAHIA, Tuesday.—The Demerara, from Liverpool for Buenos Ayres, left.
BEACHY HEAD, Thursday.—The Kentucky, from Dunkirk for New York, passed.
FREMANTLE, Monday.—The Suevic, from Auckland for London, left.
GRAVESEND, Friday.—The Merkara, from Bombay for Tilbury Dock, passed.
GIBRALTAR, Monday.—The Massilia, from the Clyde for Bombay, and the Calabria, from Naples for New York, arrived; the Sagama River, for Samarang, left.
GRAVESEND, Thursday.—The Nankin, for Bombay, left.
GRAVESEND, Friday.—The Cluny Castle, for Sydney, left.
HALIFAX, Tuesday.—The Celtic, from Liverpool, arrived.
LIVERPOOL, Friday.—The Aquitania, for New York, left; the Caronia, from New York, due at Liverpool March 23; the Kursk, for Australia, left.
LAND'S END, Friday.—The Highland Laddie, from Buenos Ayres for London, passed.
LIVERPOOL, Friday.—The Lapland, from New York, arrived.
MELBOURNE, Monday.—The Kamakura Maru, from Yokohama, arrived.
MONTE VIDEO, Tuesday.—The Highland Rover, from London, arrived.
MARSEILLES, Thursday.—The Khiva, from Bombay for London, left; the Rajah, from London for Bombay, arrived.
MERSEY, Friday.—The Essequibo, from Portland, arrived.
NEW YORK, Wednesday.—The Toloa, for St. Helen's Bay, left; the Vestries, from Liverpool, arrived on Thursday.
NEW YORK, Thursday.—The Italia, from Naples, arrived.
ORAN, Thursday.—The Morocco, from Calcutta for Boston, left.
ORAN, Thursday.—The Kasembe, from New York, arrived.
PRAWLE POINT, Thursday.—The Merkara, from Bombay for London, passed.
PORT SAID, March 14th.—The Euripides, from London for Sydney, arrived; the Karagola, from Bombay for the United Kingdom, left.
PORT SAID, March 14.—The Kaisar-i-Hind, from Marseilles, arrived.
PARA, Tuesday.—The Justin, from Manaos for New York, left.
PORT NATAL, Tuesday.—The Palma, from Sydney, arrived; the Kenilworth Castle, from Liverpool for Sydney, left.
PLYMOUTH, Friday.—The Kildonan Castle, from London for Sydney, arrived.
PERIM, Thursday.—The Martaban, from Bombay, passed.
RIO DE JANEIRO, Tuesday.—The Darro, from La Plata for Falmouth, arrived yesterday; the Highland Loch, from Buenos Ayres, arrived to-day.
SIERRA LEONE, Sunday.—The Gambia, from Dakar, arrived, and proceeded; the Mandingo left; the Elmina, for Liverpool, left.
SIERRA LEONE, Sunday.—The Gambia, from London, arrived; the Gaboon, for London, left; the Abonema, homewards, left; the Hermiston, for Liverpool, left.
SIERRA LEONE, March 14th.—The Carisbrook Castle, from Avonmouth for Table Bay, left.
ST. JOHN (N.B.), Tuesday.—The Grampian, for Liverpool, left.
SUEZ, Monday.—The Gambia River, from Sourabaya for Falmouth, arrived.
SHANGHAI, Sunday.—The Empress of Asia, from Vancouver for Hong Kong, arrived; the Cardiganshire, from London for Yokohama, left.
SUEZ, Sunday.—The Nagoya, from London for Bombay, left.
SIERRA LEONE, Monday.—The Eboe, from Monrovia for New York, arrived.
SECCONDEE, Tuesday.—The Patani, homewards, arrived; the Mondingo, from Liverpool for Accra, called.
VALPARAISO, Tuesday.—The Ortega, from Liverpool, arrived.

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PLATFORM AND STAGE.

A musical play entitled "Bubbly" will be produced at the Gaiety Theatre next week. The music is by Philip Braham, and will be rendered by an augmented orchestra. The entire cast comes from the Comedy Theatre, London, the leading parts being taken by Ivy Treamand, the original "Bubbly"; Kathleen Martyn, "the R.A.F. mascot"; Edith Payne, Ernest Seebold, and Edmund Russell. In addition to the evening performances, there will be a matinée on Saturday at 2.30.

At the Empire Theatre next week Tom Warden and Harry O'Donovan will produce, for the first time on any stage, a musical play entitled "Top o' the Morning," written by Harry O'Donovan. All the artists belong to Dublin, and include Tom Warden, Harry O'Donovan, Brian Herbert, J. J. Mooney, Eileen Hayden, Eva Hayden, Esther Warnock, etc. The Magee Lennox troupe of dancers have also been engaged, and, in addition, a local chorus.

Fred. Barnes, the light comedy star, heads the bill for next week at the Theatre Royal Hippodrome. Many other attractive items appear on the programme, including a character comedy sketch, "Squibs," by Miss Maud Aston and Co.; Janice Hart and Frank O'Brien, in witticisms, criticisms, and cynicisms; Conway and Leland, the merry monopedes; Jim Nolan, a comic actor; Sisters de Winne, and Evelyn Taylor, comedienne. This afternoon the matinée in support of the Musicians' Gift to the Forces is given, at which Constantin Stroesco, the Rumanian vocalist, will appear.

George R. Sims's drama, "The Lights of London," will be produced next week at the Queen's Theatre by Roberto Lena's all-Irish company, which is having a very successful season in Dublin. To-morrow night a special Sunday concert will be given, the programme of which includes vocalists and dancers of recognised merit.

On Tuesday next, in the Abbey Theatre, "John Bull's Other Island," by George Bernard Shaw, will be performed. The cast will include Breffni O'Rorke, Eithne Magee, Arthur Shields, Peter Nolan, Paul Farrell, J. F. McCormick, F. J. Fox, Barry Fitzgerald, Eric Gorman, Sive Allen, etc. There will be a matinée on Saturday.

The Tivoli Theatre, as usual, has an interesting variety programme for next week. James Jewel makes his first appearance in Dublin in "Idle-itis," a comedy in three scenes, introducing transformations. Other numbers are: Granville, with his piano accordion; Clarice Reed, the Welsh singer; Karnello, the boneless wonder; Ray and Bert, comedy acrobats and equilibrists; Eily Murnaghan, described as the Irish Nightingale, and Violet Mackinnon, the blind pianist; Tew and Stone, in a *pot-pourri* act, "Dexterity and Necksterity"; and Little Caprice, comedienne and dancer.

A farewell concert will be given on Saturday afternoon, 29th March, to Miss Mildred Telford, who is leaving Ireland to join Mr. Robert Courtneidge's musical comedy company. She will be assisted by Miss Dillys Jones, from the Ballad Concerts, London; Mr. John Clarke, Mr. Percy Whitehead, Mr. Alfred Deale, Mr. Patrick Delany, Miss Rhoda Coghill, Mr. B. Potterton, and Miss Andrews. The accompanist will be Mr. Vincent O'Brien, under whom Miss Telford studied. The garden scene from "Faust" will be given at the end of the programme.

The British Empire Shakespeare Society, Dublin Branch, will hold a meeting in the Little Theatre on Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, when Mr. A. N. Bonaparte Wyse will deliver a lecture on "Jack Cade, a Shakespearean Study of Bolshevism."

"Macbeth" will be produced in the Theatre Royal at a matinée on Saturday, April 5th. Judge Brereton Barry will take the *rôle* of Macbeth, and Miss May O'Hea Lady Macbeth. The proceeds will be devoted to the Royal City of Dublin Hospital, Baggot street.

It is announced that Miss Culwick's Choral Society will give a concert on Thursday, the 10th April. The soloists will be Miss Bessie Ruthven and Mr. T. W. Hall.

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DUBLIN LICENSING SESSIONS.

The Right Hon. the Recorder sat in the Sessions House, Green street, Dublin, yesterday, and heard a number of licence applications.

William Kavanagh, Knockmaroon, Chapelizod, applied to have removed restrictions on his license preventing him from selling spirituous liquors by retail on Sundays before one o'clock p.m. He asked that he should be at liberty to open his premises at 10 o'clock a.m. on Sundays.

The Recorder refused the application.

Transfers were granted to the following:—Anne Murphy, Saggart; Margaret Byron, 43 Ballybough road; Charles Byrne, 148 South Circular road; Michael Berkeley, 89 South Great George's street; Richard Cusack, 72 Upper Dorset street; Edward Doran, 114 Townsend street; P. J. Hogan, 6 Upper Dorset street; H. P. McEntaggart, 22 Ely place; Hugh M'Daid, 27 D'Olier street; Daniel Neary, 21 Fleet street; John O'Grady, 109 Capel street; Nora O'Callaghan, 47 Kildare street; Patrick O'Mara, 29 Essex street; James J. O'Neill, 47 Fairview Strand; and John O'Hagan, 108 Great Britain street.

Mr. Healy, K.C.; Mr. Clancy, K.C.; Mr. Wylie, K.C.; Mr. James Henry, and Mr. Joseph O'Connor appeared for the parties.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE MR. T. F. DAVIS, J.P.

The late Mr. Thos. F. Davis, J.P., who for over 39 years was connected with the Great Southern and Western Railway Company, was interred on Thursday in Mount Jerome. Amongst those present were:—Thomas W. Davis, James A. Davis, A.M.I.M.E. (sons); T. H. Burnes, A. Gowdy, Capt. W. Laurie, R. I. McCoy, Thomas Godden, Andrew Robinson, M.V.O., C.B.E.; Captain G. Robinson, Dr. Dockeray, James Black, Hugh Martin, Edward Walker, W. L. O'Farrell, J. H. White, J. King Magee, D. F. Quin, Thomas J. Burke, E. V. Bailey, G. H. Finlay, G. A. Drought, J. W. G. Traynor, T. F. Rudd, W. T. Smith, Thomas O'Connor, etc.

The officiating clergymen were:—The Rev. J. C. Irwin, B.D., and R. Blackwell Smyth, of St. James's Church, of which the deceased gentleman was, for many years, a devoted member, and was most courteous in his dealings with the people who had recourse to him.

Wreaths were sent by his colleagues in the G.S. and W. Railway Company, and also from the staff of head office, Tramway Company, Sackville street.

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SMOKING CONCERT
To be held in AID of the above in
THE ROUND ROOM, MANSION HOUSE
(By kind permission of the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor),
On THURSDAY, 3rd APRIL, 1919,
At Eight o'clock p.m.
Artistes:
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Accompanist—Dr. J. F. LARCHET.
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KINGSTOWN FLOWER SHOW
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WEDNESDAY, JULY 30th.
Schedules in the Press.

DANCE, 7.30 to 10.30,
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In aid of MERCER'S HOSPITAL,
Will take place at the MANSION HOUSE,
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APRIL 30th, MAY 1st, 2nd.
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ON
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BY
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Late Director of Advertising, Coal Mines Department, Board of Trade; Joint Head, Official Agency Section, National War Savings Committee; Deputy-President, British Association of Advertising; Vice-Chairman, Sales Managers' Association, etc., etc.
The Chair will be Taken at 8 p.m. by
Sir THOMAS W. ROBINSON, J.P.
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11.30—Rev. WM. CRAWFORD, M.A.
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A PUBLIC MEETING
Will be Held in the
EXAMINATION HALL OF THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND,
On MONDAY, 31st MARCH, 1919,
At 5 p.m.
THE PRESIDENT OF THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS in the Chair.
Business: TO CONSIDER THE PRESENT POSITION OF IRISH NURSES.
All Nurses and other persons interested in the Management of Hospitals are invited to Attend.

A PUBLIC LECTURE
(Under the auspices of University L.O.L. 951)
Entitled
PROTESTANTISM,
AND WHAT IT STANDS FOR,
Will be Delivered by
Rev. T. C. HAMMOND, M.A.,
In the
GREGG MEMORIAL HALL,
8 DAWSON STREET, ON
WEDNESDAY, 26th MARCH, 1919,
At 8 p.m.
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You are requested to make this widely known amongst your friends.

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Amount already acknowledged	£173	5	0
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Miss Bagwell	1	0	0
Lieut.-Colonel Murphy	1	0	0
Mrs. Murphy	1	0	0
Miss Murphy	0	10	0
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	£195	6	0

Further subscriptions will be thankfully received and acknowledged by Lieut.-Col. R. B. Charteris, c/o. Mr. W. B. Talbot, Cahir Park, Cahir, Co. Tipperary.
20th March, 1919.

PROVISIONAL ORDER.

Scottish Office, April, 1919.
PRIVATE LEGISLATION PROCEDURE (SCOTLAND) ACT, 1899.

SCOTTISH WIDOWS' FUND AND LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

(Power to declare contingent prospective additions to benefits to policy holders emerging during a limited period; Method of calculating such contingent prospective additions and privileges if any of surrender of such additions; Power to alter the date for periodical investigation of Society's affairs; Signature of Policies; Discharges of loans on policies; amendment of Acts and other purposes).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application is intended to be made to the Secretary for Scotland in the ensuing month of April, by the Scottish Widows' Fund and Life Assurance Society (hereinafter called "the Society") for a Provisional Order (hereinafter called "the Order") under the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act 1899 for all or some of the following among other purposes (that is to say):—

To empower an Extraordinary Court of Directors of the Society from time to time during the period between the 31st day of December 1918, and the date of the next succeeding periodical investigation of the affairs of the Society to order and appoint that such contingent prospective additions shall be made to all benefits of the policy holders entitled to additions which shall emerge during the period aforesaid as an Extraordinary Court of Directors shall by such order or appointment direct from time to time during such period.

To provide that such contingent prospective additions shall be calculated on the amount of the benefits entitled to additions so emerging as the same then stand upon the books of the Society (including any addition or additions made thereto prior to the 31st day of December 1918 and still subsisting at the date when such benefits shall emerge) and at such rate or rates and with such privileges of surrender if any as an Extraordinary Court of Directors of the Society shall order and appoint from time to time during such period.

So far as may be necessary for carrying out the objects aforesaid to amend or repeal section 58 of the Scottish Widows' Fund and Life Assurance Society's Act 1882 and any laws or regulations of the Society which may be inconsistent with such objects.

To amend section 16 of the Scottish Widows' Fund and Life Assurance Society's Act 1900 and to provide that the periodical investigation of the Society's affairs provided for by section 57 of the said Act of 1882 shall be made once in every five years or at such shorter intervals as may be prescribed from time to time by an Ordinary Court of Directors of the Society.

To provide that policies of assurance to be delivered to members of the Society may be subscribed by one or more Ordinary Directors and by the Manager or Secretary of the Society or such other officer of the Society as shall be designated for the purpose by resolution of an Ordinary Court of Directors of the Society and to amend section 17 of the said Act of 1882 accordingly.

To amend section 10 of the Scottish Widows' Fund and Life Assurance Society's Incorporation Act 1861 and to provide that any assignment charge or other document of security executed in respect of the grant by the Society of a loan over any of its own policies shall be sufficiently discharged under the hand of the Manager or Secretary of the Society or such other officer of the Society as shall be designated for the purpose by a resolution of an Ordinary Court of Directors.

To make such other provisions and to confer upon the Society such other powers rights and privileges as are or may be incidental or ancillary to the objects of the Order and to vary or extinguish all rights and privileges inconsistent with or which would interfere with the carrying out of such objects.

In addition to the Acts hereinbefore mentioned the Order will or may repeal or amend the Scottish Widows' Fund and Life Assurance Society's Act 1883 and the Scottish Widows' Fund and Life Assurance Society's Act 1891 so far as may be necessary or desirable for giving effect to the objects of the Order.

The petition for the Order and the draft order and printed copies thereof will be deposited at the office of the Secretary for Scotland, Whitehall, London, on or before the 17th day of April next.

The subsequent procedure with respect to the said application will be by way of Provisional Order unless it is otherwise decided in terms of the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act 1899 in which case the procedure may [illegible] way of private Bill and this notice will [illegible] to the standing orders of Parliament apply[illegible]ch Bill.

Dated this 19th day of March 1919.

Sir HENRY COOK W.S. 61 North Castle street, Edinburgh Solicitor for the Order.
GRAHAMES and CO 62 Broadway, Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

CONTRACTS.

COUNTY TIPPERARY (NORTH RIDING) COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS DISPENSARY ROSCREA.

The Committee of Management of the above Dispensary will, at their meeting to be held on Thursday, 3rd April, 1919, receive and consider Tenders for the Supply of Furniture, Beds, Bedding, Mattresses, Linen, and other equipment for the additional wards in the Dispensary.

A list of the articles required can be had on application to me, and articles tendered for must be of the same standard as those already in use in the Dispensary, and which can be seen there on any day previous to the meeting.

Sealed Tenders to be lodged with me not later than 10 o'clock a.m. on the day of meeting.

By Order,
R. E. BAYLY, Secretary.
Offices, Courthouse, Nenagh,
19th March, 1919.

TENDERS FOR PRINTING
COUNTY OF DUBLIN.

Notice is hereby given that the Proposal Committee of the County Council of the County of Dublin are prepared to receive Tenders

FOR THE PRINTING OF JURORS' LISTS.

Copies of the Lists and all necessary information can be obtained at the Office of the Secretary of the County Council, 11 Rutland square, Dublin.

The lowest or any Tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to "The Chairman, Proposal Committee, Dublin County Council," should be lodged with the Secretary, at his Office, on or before Twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday, the 3rd day of April, 1919.

The Contractor will be required to enter into a Bond for the due performance of his Contract, which Contract, amongst other matters, will provide that all books and papers are to be of Irish manufacture, and that fair wages be paid by the Contractor, and security for the due performance of the Contract will be required, as provided by the Rules or Orders of the Local Government Board.

(By Order)
R. T. BLACKBURNE, Secretary,
County Dublin County Council.
Secretary's Office 11 Rutland square, Dublin,
22nd day of March, 1919.

URBAN DISTRICT OF BRAY.
TENDERS FOR PRINTING, STATIONERY, BOOKS, etc.

The Bray Urban District Council hereby invite TENDERS FOR PRINTIG, STATIONERY, etc., for a period of Three Years, commencing 1st April, 1919.

Printed Tender Form, Schedule, etc., and a description of the printed matter required, can be obtained on application at the Office of the Clerk to the Council, Town Hall, Bray.

Samples may be inspected at the Town Hall, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.

The Council are not bound the accept the lowest or any Tender.

Sealed Tenders, endorsed on cover, "Tender for Printing," should reach undersigned before 7 p.m. on TUESDAY, 1st proximo.

JOHN McCAULL, Clerk to the Council.
Town Hall, Bray, 20th March, 1919.

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CONTRACTS.

URBAN DISTRICT OF BRAY.
TENDERS FOR GENERAL STORES AND FOR STORES REQUIRED AT COUNCIL'S ELECTRIC LIGHT WORKS

Notice is hereby given that the Bray Urban District Council will, at their Meeting to be held in the Town Hall, Bray, at 7 p.m. on TUESDAY, 1st APRIL, 1919, be prepared to receive and consider TENDERS for Supply of

GENERAL AND ELECTRICAL STORES,

which are fully described in Schedules, copy of which will be forwarded, together with Form of Tender, on application to the undersigned.

The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.

Tenders must be on the prescribed Form, and be delivered to undersigned, properly sealed and endorsed on cover, "Tender for General" or "Electric Light Stores," as the case may be, not later than date and hour above mentioned.

JOHN McCAULL, Clerk to the Council.
Town Hall, Bray, 20th March, 1919.

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HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN BAR.

To-day....Morning 2.30 | Evening 2.52
To-morrow.. " 3.17 | " 3.44

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

To-day.. Rises .. 6.25 | Sets 6.40
To-morrow.. " .. 6.23 | " 6.42

LIGHTING-UP TIME.............................. 7.40 P.M.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Theatre Royal—Hippodrome, 6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Gaiety—"The O'Dempsy," 2.30 p.m., preceded by "Tactics"; "The Eloquent Dempsy," 7.30 p.m., preceded by "Tactics."
Queen's—"His Fight for Freedom," 6.30 and 8.30.
Empire Theatre—6.30 and 8.30 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—6.30 and 8.30 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"Cathleen ni Houlihan" and "The Mineral Workers," 2.30 and 8 p.m.
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—Continuous.
Carlton Cinema—Continuous.
Pillar Picture House—Continuous.
Kingstown Pavilion—3 to 10.15 p.m.
Musicians' Gift to the Forces—Matinée, Theatre Royal, 2.30 p.m.
Water-Colour Society of Ireland—Annual Exhibition, Mills' Hall, 8 Merrion Row, 10 to 5.30 o'clock.
Dublin University—Meeting of Senate, 3 p.m.

The Irish Times.

SATURDAY, MARCH 22, 1919.

Italy's Threat.

Italy has threatened to withdraw from the Peace Conference. It has been obvious for some time that Italy's territorial claims were the cause of grave anxiety among the Allied Powers, but the unanimous decision of her delegates to leave Paris unless their claim to Fiume is upheld was not expected. Apart altogether from the rights or wrongs of Italy's claims, her drastic *coup de théâtre* is greatly to be regretted. To those simple persons who saw in the Conference of Paris a gathering of demi-gods, renouncing human nature in their desire to create an Utopia it will come as a sad disillusionment. Human nature cannot be confined by covenants. At the plenary session of the Conference, when the League of Nations Covenant was introduced, Signor Orlando made a fervent speech in its favour. He was probably quite sincere in his wish to see war abolished and eternal peace enthroned in the world; but Italy must have Fiume. We find the same temper in other nations who have grievances; they are all most anxious to form a League which will protect them against aggression, but first they must have what they want. A League of Nations founded on such a basis would be extremely satisfactory; it would be also quite impossible. Italy's grievance is typical of many. She firmly believes that Fiume should be given to her; she can produce convincing proofs that the port is Italian, historically, ethnographically, and logically. Jugo-Slavia is equally firm in her belief that she is the rightful owner of Fiume; she, too, can produce proofs. Thus a problem has arisen which nobody but a Solomon could solve. Italy and the Jugo-Slavs are near neighbours. It is essential to the peace of the world that they shall live in friendship, but their mutual attitude since the armistice has not been encouraging. Recent occurrences at Laibach, for instance, have shown a tendency to flout the authority of the Paris Conference and to foster the spirit of enmity which undoubtedly exists between the two peoples.

It would have been foolish to expect that the negotiations at Paris could come to a successful end without a hitch. A readjustment of the map of the world under any circumstances must present great difficulties. New States are formed, eager, in their national childhood, to grow and to flourish. Old States give them their blessing, but withhold the necessary concessions; the result is friction. This is all perfectly natural, and a logical result of the creation of new States whose frontiers cannot be defined in non-controversial terms. Czecho-Slovakia, Poland, Ukrania—every one lays claim to territory held by the others, and no hard and fast rule can be made which will satisfy all. Only by common good-will and common sacrifice can any permanent settlement be reached. In the case of Italy and Jugo-Slovakia, however, good-will is lacking. Instead of meeting each other half-way and seeking a compromise the rival Powers have stood firmly on the ground of their indefeasible claims, and have refused to budge an inch. The conciliatory influence of the other Powers evidently has had no effect, and Italy has threatened to leave the room and bang the door. Jugo-Slavia might have been excused for a display of temper, but from Italy the world expects a more mature judgment and a fuller recognition of the due results of such an action. All our hopes of regaining international equilibrium are based on the conclusion of a speedy peace. Reports from Russia state that Bolshevism commands an army of 1,200,000 men, all highly trained and ready to begin an offensive on three fronts in the spring. Germany is on the brink of a chasm, and in her fall she may drag the rest of Europe down to destruction. Poland, Galicia, Rumania, and what remains of Austria-Hungary are seething with political and industrial discontent. Peace is the only protection against imminent chaos. Europe must show a united front against the forces of anarchy, and all personal and national claims and prejudices must be sunk. Peace first, then union; this is the only formula which can solve the problem of the world.

Two great questions are being discussed in Paris just now—the question of indemnities and Germany's future frontiers. So far as can be seen unanimity has been reached on neither of these, and very serious differences of opinion have arisen. With regard to the former the Commission appointed to consider Germany's capacity to pay has stated £8,000,000,000 as the *maximum* amount, which, *plus* interest extending over forty years, would amount ultimately to £16,000,000,000. America thinks that this sum is too large, and suggests the sum of £2,400,000,000, which, if we rate the wealth of Germany outside the country at £1,600,000,000, and her annual income derived from export and import at £60,000,000, could be paid up in twelve years. The principle at issue is whether German industry is to be crippled or not, and on this there are grave divergencies of opinion. The frontier question is no less delicate. Poland, for instance, claims territory which has a population of 1,800,000 Germans; France insists on a Rhenish buffer State, and both these claims may give rise to serious difficulties. The whole problem of the League of Nations is still unsolved. French opinion is greatly incensed by the British policy in Asia Minor; Japan is uneasy about racial prejudices; Mr. Lloyd George's policy with regard to non-intervention in Russia is being criticised severely. Any of these differences at any moment may become acute, and, if other nations follow Italy's example, a situation may arise which will defy solution. It is the duty of the world in general, and of Paris in particular, to avert any such crisis. No good results—in fact, no results at all—can be secured by insisting on national points of view. It is high time that the nations of the world should begin to think in terms of the world, and not in terms of local prejudices and national aspirations. The situation is too serious for hair-splitting, and the fate of mankind is more important than that of Fiume. If the Conference is not to be a dismal fiasco, its rulings must be obeyed, not only by the small Powers who are too weak to protest, but also even by the greatest.

The Labour Crisis.

On April 5th the Joint Committee, representative of employers and work-people, which was set up by the National Industrial Council to find a solution of the disputes that have arisen in various trades, will present its report. The Committee's work is of the utmost importance, but interest in it has been overshadowed, if not entirely eclipsed, by the efforts of the Government to deal with the demands of the "Triple Alliance"—the miners, the railwaymen, and the transport workers. These problems dominate the political and industrial horizon at the moment. Unless the Alliance is conciliated it may inflict a grave and irreparable injury on the whole people of the United Kingdom by proclaiming a strike and bringing the social and commercial life of the country to a stand-still. There is reason to hope, however, that such a calamity will be averted. Every one of the three groups, by joint decision of their executives, is precluded from embroiling the others until negotiations have failed or until the Alliance, as a whole, is prepared to move. However dissatisfied the railwaymen and transport workers may be with the rate of progress towards the achievement of their respective programmes, neither section will resort to a strike except in unison with the miners. According to the reports which were issued yesterday, the Miners' Conference was disposed to accept the recommendations made by Mr. Justice Sankey if the Government were willing to modify them in certain respects. Everything depends upon the nature of the alterations required. The Miners' Conference will assemble again next Wednesday to learn the Cabinet's decision, and in the meanwhile the strike notices remain suspended. We have no doubt that the Government will go to the limit of concession; but what will happen if it finds itself unable to grant all that is demanded? Will the strike take effect? The miners have four days in which to think the matter over once more. Are they prepared to put themselves into direct conflict with the constituted authority of the State and declare war upon the public interest? The Prime Minister warned them a month ago that an irreconcilable attitude would be sternly met, and Mr. Bonar Law repeated that warning on Thursday. Mr. Smillie characterised the statement by the leader of the House as "a foolish utterance" and as "throwing down the gauntlet." It was, however, a correct interpretation of the feelings of the nation. If the miners decide to strike, they will alienate the sympathy of the entire community from their cause. Moreover, a resort to force would automatically bring the labours of the Sankey Committee to an end. Mr. Justice Sankey has undertaken to render a complete report on the question of the nationalisation of mines by May 20th if his colleagues are permitted to investigate it. He has also promised to issue a series of *interim* reports on other subjects. The Government is anxious to receive these reports and to act upon them. Mr. Smillie and his colleagues, therefore, are within measurable distance of the fulfilment of all their hopes. Are they prepared to wait for a few weeks and gain what they desire, or will they precipitate a strike on Wednesday and lose all? The railwaymen have rejected the Government's offer, but the Executive of the Triple Alliance decided last night to endeavour to remove the deadlock by further negotiations. Meanwhile the railwaymen have been instructed to remain at work. On the whole the situation, while serious, is not without hope.

Geography.

The Irish Geographical Association made its first public appearance yesterday, when Professor C. H. Oldham lectured in Dublin to the members and associates on "Geographical Factors in Economic Development." For the past twenty-six years the Geographical Association in England has kept teachers and students in touch with the progress of a subject that aptly links the sciences with the arts. Now that the distinction between these two branches of knowledge in our educational systems is rapidly breaking down, geography, more than ever, supplies a common meeting-ground. The subject is no longer a list of names imposed by man on natural regions. Appeal is now made to the regions themselves as an explanation of the fundamental or acquired activities of man. Historians discovered long ago that they could not limit their teaching to events occurring in a single country. The outlook of their pupils is widened immensely if the movements of peoples can be correlated with the structure and climatic conditions of the earth. Since the promoters of the Irish Geographical Association have wisely connected themselves with the older Association in England, its members will be able to utilise the experience gained in universities and schools across the water for the development of a curriculum in Ireland that shall be worthy of the new zeal for education. Such a curriculum should inspire a taste for travel, and the general meetings and summer schools that will doubtless be planned by the Irish Association may, from time to time, be held outside the limits of our island. The greatest teachers in old days were Irishmen, who brought to the outposts the message and inspiration of immortal Rome. While content with the little steep-roofed churches and bee-hive cells of a primitive country, swept by the Atlantic storms, they had seen the pillared courts of Gaul and the marble-lined basilicas of Italy, inherited from an organised, if pagan, world. They had learned that an alien may be also a brother and a friend. It must be admitted that the great days of geography were in the sixteenth century, when the study of the earth was prompted by merchant adventurers whose thoughts ran on spices, gems, and gold. Yet the love of adventure clearly laid hold upon the merchant. Anthony Jenkinson, who sailed the first British ship upon the Caspian under the flag of St. George, in 1559, had all the soul of a discoverer. Robert Thorne, who proposed, in 1527, to steer across the Pole to China, had no lack of imagination. The true aim of geography is nothing less than "*quidquid agunt homines.*" Physical geography is thus only a foundation, and cannot be divorced from human history. We welcome the inauguration of the Irish Geographical Association all the more warmly on account of the restraint that is naturally imposed on us, and on Britain also, by the seas which hem us round.

THE AERODROME OUTRAGE.

WARNING BY THE MILITARY.

SENTRIES TO FIRE ON UNAUTHORISED PERSONS.

The following official communication, dated March 21, 1919, was issued in Dublin last night:—

In view of the fact that the R.A.F. guard at Collinstown was raided by a party of masked men last night, with the result that some 75 rifles, with bayonets, and approximately 4,000 rounds of small arms ammunition were lost, the public are informed that orders have been issued to all military guards that they are to fire on all unauthorised persons who approach their posts and do not halt when challenged.

THE ABANDONED MOTOR CAR.

No arrests have yet been made in connection with the raid for arms at the aerodrome at Collinstown, Co. Dublin, but it is stated that the local police have obtained a valuable clue in regard to the motor car which was found on the roadside between the aerodrome and Balbriggan in a dilapidated state. The police, it is said, have been able to trace its ownership to a source in Dublin.

It was stated yesterday that four motor cars were observed going in the direction of the aerodrome at about 1.30 on the morning of the occurrence.

MARTIAL LAW IN TIPPERARY.

VIEWS OF MERCHANTS AND BANKERS.

LOSSES OF TRADE.

A meeting of merchants and bankers was recently held in the Town Hall, Tipperary, for the purpose of dealing with the state of affairs that has arisen in the district owing to the operation of martial law. Those present were—Messrs. F. E. Maher, manager, Munster and Leinster Bank; T. G. Thorpe, agent, Bank of Ireland; M. Harding, manager, National Bank; John J. Ryan, U.C.; John M. Heffernan, U.C.; Walter F. D'Alton, Thomas F. Carrigan, M. M. D'Arcy, M.P.S.I.; P. Mortell, P. Maher, Wm. O'Grady, and T. Roche.

The following resolutions were carried unanimously:—"That martial law of an excessive rigour is being administered in the town of Tipperary, and that we desire to make the most public protest; that in the past week this severity has reached its climax, that on five days of the week the military prohibited all entry into the town for fair or market, in this way stopping the traffic in pigs, cattle and sheep, potatoes and other farm produce, and calves, and making recourse to the town for other purposes most difficult and unpleasant; that after careful inquiry we estimate the loss in business transactions for the week at more than £25,000; that on every business day without exception for five weeks past licensed houses are limited to five hours' opening, and that all other shops are seriously affected by this limitation; that business turned away over a period of time from the town cannot be brought back; that the livelihood of people, carefully and attentively built up, is being taken away; and that, bad as the present condition of things is, the outlook for the future is worse.

"Further, that we record our firm belief that not one person in this town was connected, directly or otherwise, with the tragedy at Sologheadbeg, and that the action of the authorities has no effect whatever except to inflict wrong and loss on the community.

"That a copy of above resolution be sent to Lord Barrymore, to the Urban Council, and to the Board of Guardians."

THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

The Chief Secretary and Mrs. Macpherson arrived at Kingstown from Holyhead yesterday evening.

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

A year ago to-day the country
grave danger of a German victory,
the Allies in France were
desperately to prevent it. A few
later the British were fighting with
backs to the wall. The danger then
tremendous; and the labour
cannot be compared with it. Yet we
through, and the opening German
cesses were really the beginning of
Allied victory.
If there is to be a struggle between
State and the Labour extremists,
lack the support of the general
the men who won the greater victory
France may be expected to win the
again. We are told to-day that
miners are spoiling for a fight, and
waiting a word to strike to-morrow.
at a moment when virtually all
asked for is within sight!
There is, nevertheless, a strong
of optimism. Many of the Labour
fully recognise the danger of the
the extremists wish to follow, and
all that lies in their power to check
I mentioned yesterday that the Govern
ment's plans were well in hand for deal
ing with any emergency, and the
that it is determined to use every
in its power to protect the community
not without effect. The Prime Minister's
statement, cabled from Paris, is likely
have a sobering effect on the more
ful leaders. In the circumstances
House of Commons may be called
meet to-morrow; but that is unlikely
less a strike is declared to-night.
Public opinion on this occasion
accurately reflected by the newspapers
which virtually, without exception,
the recommendations contained
Sankey report, and declare that
would be most unwise to refuse them.
views of the *Westminster Gazette*, which
one can accuse of any tenderness
present Government, are typical.
cannot bring ourselves to believe,"
marks, "that the miners will reject
proposals, or that the other trades
'Triple Alliance' will support them
doing. They get a large part of
they demanded in wages and hours,
they have the satisfaction of knowing
they have made good their case
the present mine-owning system,
made an immense stride towards
nationalisation or public control.
almost unthinkable that they should
fice all these steps and forfeit the
sympathy which they have won in the
ceedings before the Commission."
Early in the day there were good
that the Government's terms would
accepted, but a less confident feeling
vailed when it became known that
railwaymen had rejected the new
made to them yesterday, which
have provided for a continuance of
present war wages until the close of the
year. In fairness to the rest of the
munity, which in one way or another
to foot the bill, it is impossible to
these terms permanent as the railway
demand, for no one can possibly
this moment what will be the
conditions twelve, or even
hence.
A Flying Club is to be established
London, with headquarters at
where the members will be provided
facilities for flying. Men and women
be eligible as members, and able
aeroplanes with skilled pilots
points about the Club will be a
ing saloon, an American bar,
bedrooms, library, tennis courts,
large hall capable of accommodating
thousand people for lectures, dances,
concerts.
Mr. Hancock on Wednesday
ask the Secretary for War whether
attention has been called to
made by soldiers of a shortage of
the Curragh, and if he will look
matter.
The first Friday sitting allotted
private members' Bills was not a
success from any point of view.
attendance was small, and
apathetic, and the Bill itself,
styled the Prevention of Unemployment
Bill, was of such a character
promoters could have had no
securing support. The measure
was introduced by Mr. Watson,
Labour member for Kettering,
some sixteen clauses, and it sought
volutionise the present system of
ment. The main idea was to transfer
the power hitherto exercised by the
Government Board, the Board of
and the Home Office, in so far as
cerned the problems of unemployment
the Ministry of Labour. The
was to be wiped out of existence,
there were other provisions,
their intentions, but difficult of
tion, to make the lot of the
as free from anxiety as possible.
in fact, to be maintained at the
of the State during his enforced
Sir Robert Horne, the Minister
Labour, was extremely sympathetic,
with the best will in the world
unable to promise Government support
the Bill. He pointed out that the
ment itself was, at the present time
vestigating the very problems which
Bill set itself out to deal with.
Bill were likely to solve the
the Government would gladly adopt
it was not calculated to achieve that
On a division the Bill was rejected
to 56.
A better fate awaited a short Bill
troduced by Sir Frederick Banbury
exempt dogs from vivisection, which
a very short debate, was read a
time.
Sir Maurice Dockrell has been
by the Secretary to the Admiralty
written answer that there are
boats in Kingstown Harbour, but
there are at the moment fourteen
trawlers and drifters under the
the Commander at Kingstown. Of
one drifter is under orders to proceed
reconditioning port. The
vessels should be free for release
31st inst., but owing to congestion
reconditioning ports this cannot be
plished.
Colonel McCalmont is applying
Chiltern Hundreds, as he has taken
command of the Irish Guards to-day.
will render vacant the seat for
Antrim. The new writ will
issued in a few days.
With reference to the Chief Secretary's
promise of a Bill for dealing with
private Bill legislation, I understand
he has been in consultation with
Scottish Office on the question of
the Scottish method. This makes
inquiry to take the place of the Com
stage at Westminster. It is probable
the Irish proposals will avoid what
regarded as some drawbacks in
scheme.

EARL OF CAVAN AT ETON.

The Earl of Cavan visited Eton yesterday
was given an enthusiastic reception.
luncheon he inspected the guard of honour
the colleges from the chapel steps,
addressed the boys congregated near
founder's statue. He paid a high tribute
the imperishable memory of the sons of
who loyally served under him through
war. The Army looked to Eton during
years to come for officers of that type.
Speaking of his early career, Lord Cavan
that in 1882, when he went to the
Room of the Eton College Rifle Volunteers
Eton he was rejected by a
who said, "Five feet three, and a bit";
soon as he was five feet four he
became corporal, sergeant, and colour
and was glad he went through the ranks
becoming an officer in the Grenadier
He thanked the scholars for the reception
added that on a previous occasion,
standing there at a similar function,
Roberts was with them. With all his
said, "*Floreat Etona.*"

General Pau, head of the French Mission
the British Colonies, arrived at Southampton
yesterday.

FROM "THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY.

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE PROPRIETORS OF *THE TIMES*.)

THE ROAD TO PEACE.

Dealing with the Labour situation, *The Times* says:—Further steps were taken yesterday on the toilsome and tortuous road that leads to peace at home, and happens to run with the road to peace abroad. We are not yet out of the wood, but the trees are thinning, and nothing but gross stupidity or criminal pugnacity will prevent us from reaching open ground. The cases of both the miners and the transport workers may be regarded as virtually settled, and of the three parties to the Triple Alliance only the railwaymen remain in a hostile attitude. The Miners' Conference did not absolutely accept the Government's offer based on the Sankey report, but it decided by an overwhelming majority against letting the strike notices take effect to-day, as they would otherwise have done. The men are advised to continue working from day to day until next Wednesday, when the Conference will meet again, and, meanwhile, negotiations will be resumed with the Government to clear up certain points. This is a great change, and due, no doubt, mainly to the new offer of the Government, which is itself the result of the Sankey Commission. There are probably still some irreconcilables among the delegates, but, whereas the balance was previously on their side, it has now shifted completely over. With reference to the railwaymen, *The Times* remarks:—It is pretty clear that the Railway Executive and the Board of Trade have been pursuing the usual policy of haggling over every point, trying to make the smallest possible concession, and grudgingly giving way by degrees. The opposite way is that which was taken by the Sankey inquiry, with such happy results. It is to ascertain the *maximum* concession possible on a fair and reasonable calculation, go at once to that limit, and refuse to go beyond it for any threats. It is the haggling and boggling at every point, and then giving way, that confirms the men's suspicions of bad faith, encourages them to make further demands, and justifies their determination not to give way. If the charge that the negotiations with the railwaymen have been conducted on these lines is unfounded, the blame for the error must be laid on the secrecy observed.

IRELAND'S IMMEDIATE NEEDS.

Sir John Butcher, Coalition Unionist M.P. for York, in a letter which appears in *The Times*, examines the opinion recently expressed in its editorial columns, that the Government, having failed to induce Irishmen to agree among themselves, must impose their own settlement upon Irishmen. He holds that, in the existing state of Irish opinion, two solutions only are conceivable:—

(1) The imposition of full Dominion Home Rule on an undivided Ireland—nothing short of this would satisfy Nationalists, or would have a chance of satisfying Sinn Feiners. To such a scheme there are two fatal objections. In the first place, Great Britain could not, without a profligate disregard of its own vital interests, create a practically independent State within a few miles of its own coasts, governed by an anti-British majority, who openly declare for an Irish Republic. In the second place, such a measure could not, in the face of positive Government pledges, be forced on Ulster, which is more determined than ever to remain part and parcel of the United Kingdom.

(2) The imposition of some form of Home Rule on Ireland, with Ulster or the six counties left out. This solution, however wide or however narrow in its scope, would be repudiated alike by Nationalists, Sinn Feiners, and by Southern Unionists, and would please no one. It follows, concludes Sir John Butcher, that, owing to the conditions at present prevailing in Ireland, no workable measure of Home Rule can be devised or imposed. In the meantime, and until affairs in Ireland assume a radically different aspect, the immediate duty of the Government is, on the one hand, to safeguard liberty of life and action for the law-abiding population against the forces of disorder, and, on the other hand, to develop the resources and to improve the social conditions of the country.

THE RETURN OF THE GUARDS.

Referring to the Guards' pageant in London to-day, *The Times* says:—These renowned regiments have earned all honour their countrymen and countrywomen could do them. No troops have had to take more desperate ventures, or to suffer ordeals more severe. "Hang on to your trenches, at all costs, and save the British Army," was the order given one of their battalions (2nd Grenadier Guards) at a moment when all was in the balance. They carried out that order, as they were used to carry out the Duke's. They hung on, they held their trenches, and they drove back the Prussian Guards, but at a dreadful cost. That was on the last day of October, 1914. They had taught the Germans already in the retreat from Mons, at Landrecies, at Villers Cotterets, and on the Marne of what stuff the "Contemptibles" were made. But, like the rest of the Army, they had to undergo searching trials in this first period of the war. Few, indeed, of the magnificent Brigade which left us in August, 1914, will receive our greetings as they march through the crowded streets to-day. It is their successors who must receive our homage to the dead and to the living.

BERLIN'S SAD GAIETY.

The Times Special Correspondent in Berlin to-day describes his visits to gaming and dancing saloons, and comments on the sad gaiety of the city. "Throughout the extremely tedious and, at times, mournful experiences, I can," he telegraphs, "only say that I very rarely heard anybody laugh, and even the once characteristic raucousness of some German conversation had disappeared. People danced without even smiling, and appeared to me to drink without pleasure. The whole dismally suburban circle of so-called amusement was characterised by pitiful efforts of people to be amused."

GERMAN INDEMNITIES AND REPARATION.

The Times Political Correspondent in Paris says that the whole problem of reparations and indemnities is still unsolved. There is complete agreement upon only two main principles—first, that Germany must pay all she can, and, secondly, that Germany cannot pay any sum faintly approaching what she ought to pay. Estimates as to Germany's paying capacity are very widely different, and we believe we are right in stating that the British views are most flattering to German *amour propre* in this matter, but, perhaps, also most likely to be harmful to their pockets. No decision has been taken yet as to how much Germany shall be called upon to give. The time limit for payment urged stretches from thirty to fifty years. There is no agreement yet as to the method by which Germany can meet her indemnities without injuring her creditors. It is clear that we have to allow Germany to regain, at any rate, some of her former prosperity, if she is to work off her debts, and yet that prosperity cannot be encouraged at the expense of any Allied industry.

NEW BRITISH NAVAL CHANGES.

The Times says that the Admiralty has drawn up a new plan for the distribution of the British Navy, by which the Fleet will be divided into various squadrons for service in home and foreign waters. Based on the home ports, there will be an Atlantic Squadron and a Home Fleet, with Admiral Sir Charles Madden and Vice-Admiral Sir H. F. Oliver, respectively in command. Vice-Admiral Sir J. M. De Robeck is to have the Mediterranean command, with the Iron Duke as flagship. At the moment, our Mediterranean Fleet is being reconstituted. Rear-Admiral Alexander Sinclair has just joined it with the Sixth Light Cruiser Squadron. Several battleships of the Iron Duke class are either on their way or under orders to proceed to Malta. A West Atlantic Squadron is being formed under the command of Rear-Admiral Everett, with its base at Bermuda. When the new Fleet in these waters has been finally constituted, Vice-Admiral Sir Trevelyan Napier will become Commander-in-Chief. Vice-Admiral Sir A. Duff has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the China Station. When Vice-Admiral Sir H. Heath goes to Rosyth, Vice-Admiral Sir M. E. Browning will succeed him as Second Sea Lord. Falmouth has become the naval supply base for the Cornish coast.

A wireless message received at Queenstown yesterday from H.M.S. Jessamine stated that the crew of the steamship Penlee, previously reported on fire, were on board the American steamer Julia Luckenbach, which was proceeding with the men to Bordeaux.

AT THE CONFERENCE.

OUR LETTER FROM PARIS.

THE LEAGUE AND THE TREATY.

PAYMENT BY GERMANY.

PROBLEMS OF ALSACE-LORRAINE.

MEALS IN THE LATIN QUARTER.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

PARIS, MARCH 20.

The psychology of the journalist ought to be interesting to the student of mental science. At one and the same time he experiences often two contrary sets of emotions which do not appear in the least conflicting to him. As a reader of newspapers, he feels much the same as other men. As a maker of newspapers he feels quite differently. News of the outbreak of war in 1914 must have staggered many a journalist, whose second, almost sub-conscious, thought was: "There will be some fine stories to be had." Something like this was felt last week, when the unexpected announcement was made that President Wilson wished the League of Nations scheme to be part of the preliminary Peace Treaty. We had just been hearing how vitally necessary was an immediate peace, and the nebulous state of opinion about the proposed League led one to suppose that its rendering into a form finally acceptable to all must postpone the Peace Treaty for a long time. Lord Robert Cecil gave his reasons for thinking that would not be so.

This afternoon Colonel House, who is in close touch with Mr. Wilson, elaborated those reasons. In substance, both statements amount to much the same thing, but that does not convince one that, should opposition arise when the measure is discussed before the Legislatures of the various signatories, considerable delay may not result. Just in what way the proposals are to be made part of the preliminary Peace Treaty is not clear either. If they are incorporated in the body of the text, they introduce a great deal to which the Germans are to be asked to assent, while they are to be told that, as they cannot be admitted to the League, it has nothing to do with them. The really imporant point about the whole affair is, however, just this—the agreement with Germany provides for the disposal of certain of her property in a manner prescribed by the League. For example, her Colonies are to be given into the charge of mandatory Powers. If the League is not then in existence, it will be impossible to settle the disposal in the way arranged. All that is necessary, therefore, is to bring the League of Nations into existence at the same time as—or, for that matter, before—the signing of the preliminary peace. There may, therefore, be two documents dependent upon one another—one for signature by Germany, the other only by the nations permitted to join the new Confederation.

Signs are not lacking that the alteration in plans is meeting with hostile criticism in many quarters. Certain members of the United States Senate even go so far as to say that they will reject the scheme altogether if its passage is forced by making it part of the Peace Treaty. There is still plenty of time to reconcile the antagonistic elements by giving consideration to their suggested modifications. It is, however, altogether impracticable to insist on submitting the constitution of the League to every separate Government for detailed consideration. The delegates now in Paris represent the best men the world has been able to select to draw up plans for maintaining a permanent peace. These delegates alone, by their opportunities for intimate discussion, are best fitted to decide upon a scheme offering the greatest chance of common acceptance. It is to be hoped that when the League leaves their hands for ratification no change in its principles will be thought necessary. The draft, both of the preliminary peace terms and of the League, is expected not later than fourteen days from now. In yet another fourteen days it is thought likely that the Germans will be called to receive the terms for signature.

It is in order to ensure this that Mr. Lloyd George, yielding to constant pressure from the chief delegates of other countries, has at last consented to stay in Paris. Apart from the movement towards Bolshevism in Germany, a great deal of the world's unrest at present is undoubtedly due to the uncertainty of affairs pending the signature of peace. Nothing can become stable till we have defined the future of the enemy States. This demands the close co-operation of all the principal delegates. If the Premier returns to England, all the negotiations must be again delayed and the thread picked up again after his return.

The French papers, after clamouring so loudly and so positively for a complete settlement of all war costs by Germany, are beginning to hint that more modest expectations only can be entertained. They quote the speeches of Mr. Bonar Law and other British statesmen to show what demands are likely to be formulated by us. It is agreed by all the delegates to the Conference that, if it were possible to collect the debt, Germany should pay to the uttermost farthing. It is also clear that she cannot pay all the Allies' debts. The Commission appointed for the purpose has been trying to determine just how much Germany can pay. Such movable assets as Germany has got can be taken at once. These comprise gold reserves, coal, potash, ships, debts abroad, and, perhaps, foreign securities. But all of these combined will do comparatively little. After that further payments can only be made by profit on exports. We would not wish to see Germany exporting vast shipments of coal to pay her debt, because our prosperity depends largely on our coal trade. To force Germany to pay us in that way would then be "robbing Peter to pay Paul"; we should get a larger indemnity, while Germany would flourish by our loss of trade.

It is the same with all manufactured goods which we sell in competition with Germany, and our aim during the war has consistently been to begin the manufacture of those things of which Germany previously had the monopoly. To force Germany to pay by profits on these goods would strangle our own newly-formed industries. Besides, another factor comes into play. When a country imports or borrows largely, without exporting correspondingly, there is a fall in the value of its currency. The same effect would result from its paying away large amounts for which there was no corresponding equivalent in value returned. If Germany were forced to pay in currency the interest alone on all the Allies' debts, this huge annual payment outside of her borders would reduce the value of her currency to a nominal worth. The question, in fine, is how to get the money out of Germany without its losing its value or hurting ourselves. As is usual in such cases, a method of compromise will be adopted, and every precaution will be taken to prevent Germany's development at our expense.

Already France's troubles with Alsace-Lorraine are coming home to roost. One source of trouble is the question of incorporating the railway system of Alsace into the French system. The German methods of working were, however, considered so superior to the local French system that the Strassburg Chamber of Commerce is asking that Alsace shall retain independent control. Another problem is as to what steps must be taken to protect the trade of Strassburg. Its traffic in 1913 amounted to 2,000,000 tons, not including 740,000 tons of canal traffic. If Germany retains the rival centre of Kehl, the people of Alsace fear that their trade would be threatened in much the same way as England's trade would have been threatened had Germany gained Antwerp. The most serious problem, however, has arisen over the exchange. On the 26th November, 1918, the French Government, wishing to indemnify the people of the regained provinces, decided to repurchase all German money in circulation at the pre-war value of the mark—*viz.*, 1 franc 25 cents (1s.)—instead of at the present value (4d.). This great act of generosity has already cost the French Government £100,000,000. But that does not nearly exhaust the liability it has incurred. Commercial houses have used as currency postal orders and other negotiable paper. These sums, amounting to £5,000,000, are deposited at banks in Karlsruhe. Many thousands of workmen have paid their savings into German banks, life and illness insurance companies, and similar concerns. Many, under threat, have subscribed to the German War Loan. Thousands of accounts with German banks, mortgage companies, and investments of all kinds, will involve the payment by the French Government of hundreds of millions of pounds if the newly reclaimed provinces are not to suffer an epidemic of bankruptcy. Truly, victory has its troubles, as well as defeat.

Ever since coming to Paris one question has been troubling me. When living is so outrageously dear, how do the poor manage to live at all—and not only the very poor, but the thousands of wage-earners whose incomes vary less with war conditions than those of other workers? In company with a French journalist, I have for a few evenings been making acquaintance with some of the haunts of his student days in the Latin Quarter. Here one may fairly expect to find the cheapest meals in Paris. In one place, resembling more a public dining-room than a restaurant, a very good meal was served for 2½ francs (2s.), without wine. A stream of patrons came and went, among whom were French officers and "*poilus*," clerks, typists, artists, students, and the ubiquitous American. Bread was to be had without coupons in any quantity. At another of my friend's old resorts a similar meal served to the same class of customer, but with wine in addition, was to be had for the equivalent of 2s. 3d. Compared with prices elsewhere, these are very low for the present day; but it probably means a hard struggle for their patrons to make ends meet. It is time that prices were reduced. The Government canteens for selling direct to the public have been a huge success, but their work must be much extended before the effect will be felt in the restaurants which cater for these hard-working classes.

EGYPTIAN SITUATION.

"DISTINCTLY GRAVE."

GENERAL ALLENBY'S APPOINTMENT.

The Press Bureau last night issued the following:—

In view of the grave situation in Egypt and the absence of His Majesty's High Commissioner from that country, the King has appointed General Allenby to be His Majesty's Special High Commissioner for Egypt and the Sudan. He is directed to exercise supreme authority in all matters, military and civil, to take all such measures he considers necessary and expedient to restore law and order in those countries, and to order and administer in all matters, as may be required by the necessity of maintaining the King's protectorate over Egypt on a secure and equitable basis.

THE MILITARY POSITION.

Reuter's Agency learns that the latest news from Egypt shows that the situation is worse, and is distinctly grave.

General Allenby should reach Cairo by Tuesday. In addition to the large number of troops already in the country reinforcements are being sent.

A number of armed Bedouise on the west of the Sahara Province have entered the province and are looting. The Turkish flag is flying in some of the villages. Some prominent native officials and several of the Egyptian police are stated to have been killed.

The position is not regarded as presenting any military danger, and it is believed it will soon be well in hand.

UNREST IN CAIRO.

A Reuter's telegram from Cairo, dated March 15 (delayed), says:—Cairo has been quiet for the last two days, with the exception of an incident in the Seyideh Zenab quarter yesterday. An armoured car was fired on, and two soldiers in the car were wounded. The men in the car replied, killing thirteen of the demonstrators and wounding twenty-seven.

The tramway service has been partially resumed. Inflammatory statements are being circulated.

SERIOUS DISORDERS IN THE PROVINCES.

RIOTERS DISPERSED BY AN AEROPLANE.

A demonstration which took place at Alexandria this morning, says a telegram from Cairo on March 15, was dispersed. There was no disorder, and the military did not have to fire. Attacks on railway and telegraph communications have occurred in some provincial districts, notably at Birket-el-Sabh, Wasta, and Galioub.

A crowd numbering about three thousand rushed into the station at Galioub, smashed the station buildings, and cut the telegraph wires and the railway lines. The tramway station was bravely held by five British officers and four Indian soldiers, who were passengers on the train. An aeroplane appeared and swept down and dispersed the demonstrators, who had suffered many casualties from the officers' revolvers.

The attack on Wasta was made by a crowd of natives and Bedouins, who scattered the police and seized their arms. They also cut the telegraph wires, and killed an English railway employé. Troops have now reached Wasta, and arrested many of the demonstrators.

PRUSSIAN MINISTRY'S RESIGNATION.

THE CONTROL OF THE RHINE.

A Reuter's Copenhagen telegram on Friday says:—A telegram from Berlin of yesterday's date says:—The Prussian Constituent Assembly to-day passed the second and third readings of the bill provisionally regulating the Government of Prussia, whereupon the Premier, Herr Hirsch, declared that the Ministry would resign, but he was requested by the President to continue in charge of the Government until a new Ministry could be formed.

FRANCE AND THE RHINE.

A telegram from Karlsruhe says:—In a debate on the new Constitution Bill in the Baden National Assembly, Dr. Ludwig Haas, Minister of the Interior, said that he had reason to assume that France had planned to annex the Kehl region, east of Strasbourg. (Exclamations, and cries of "Never.") He continued—We protest before the whole world against the separation from Germany of this district, where no one speaks anything but German, and against the plan to place the Rhine from Bale to Mannheim permanently under French control. (Loud protests, and cries of "Never" from all over the House.)

GERMAN MERCHANT FLEETS.

DECISION OF HAMBURG SEAMEN.

An Exchange Company's message from Copenhagen says:—At a secret meeting of seamen at Hamburg on Wednesday it was decided that all means should be adopted to prevent the German merchant fleets from leaving port. Ostensibly this decision was taken because Germany is only getting about 350,000 tons of food monthly from the Allies. The strike of seamen will probably prevent the ships from leaving the harbours.

The Press Association's Special Correspondent, telegraphing from Berlin on Thursday, says:—According to the papers, the Government is firmly determined to use all means at its disposal to protect against violence the seamen who are willing to work. The seamen so far engaged at Hamburg Fort Imperator are ready to sail.

RIOTING IN KOREA.

A Tokio telegram, dated March 9, states:—The rioting in Korea has been quelled, and no further arrests have been made. Quiet has been restored, at any rate, outwardly, but it is believed that the movement in favour of independence and self-determination in the peninsula is too deep-rooted and widespread to be easily exterminated. A manifesto drafted in this sense, the publication of which is not permitted, contains nothing violent, its phraseology bearing evidence that it is the work of highly-educated persons. The report of the gendarmerie that the missionaries have been implicated in the agitation has been given wide publicity in this connection. It is stated authoritatively that the American missionaries had no concern whatever with the movement, and that on the contrary their efforts were directed towards controlling the converts engaged in the demonstrations against the Government.

REFUSING TO DELIVER GERMAN SHIPS.

A Copenhagen telegram, dated Thursday, states:—A Berlin telegram of yesterday's date says that two of the German steamers, which in accordance with the Brussels agreement were to put to sea, were prevented from leaving owing to a resolution of the German Seamen's League, adopted at a meeting at Hamburg, refusing to deliver the ships demanded by the *Entente*, and making it the duty of all German seamen and workers to refuse to work on these ships.

ITALY DEMANDS FIUME.

THREAT OF WITHDRAWAL FROM THE CONFERENCE.

GREAT BILL FOR REPARATION AGAINST GERMANY.

FRENCH PRESS AND PAN-ARABISM.

ATTACK ON BRITISH POLICY.

NEUTRALS AND THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

The outstanding news from Paris yesterday is the announcement that the Italian delegates have decided to withdraw from the Peace Conference unless Fiume is given to Italy simultaneously with the conclusion of peace.

An estimate of the amount that will be claimed from Germany by way of reparation fixes it at eight thousand million pounds. This sum, together with interest spread over a period of forty years, is estimated to cost Germany no less than sixteen thousand million pounds.

The meetings of the various Commissions in Paris yesterday dealt with the Polish question, the League of Nations (in regard to which the views of neutrals were heard), International Labour Legislation, and the problem of Syria and Turkey in Asia.

The Paris newspaper *Humanité* makes a fierce attack on British policy in regard to Turkey in Asia. It denounces what it calls pan-Arabism, and speaks of another "beast in the garden," which may have to be killed.

ITALY AND FIUME.

A Reuter telegram, dated Paris, Friday, says:—

At a meeting held to-day, the members of the Italian Delegation unanimously decided to withdraw from the Peace Conference unless Fiume is assigned to Italy simultaneously with the conclusion of peace.

OFFICIAL REPORTS.

THE POLISH QUESTION.

The following official *communiqués*, dated Friday, have been received from Paris:—

The Supreme War Council met this afternoon from 3 to 6 p.m.

The different aspects of the Polish question were considered, and also the transport of General Haller's troops to Poland.

The next meeting will take place at 11 a.m. on Saturday.

THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

A second meeting was held at the Hotel Crillon this afternoon, in order to give the representatives of the neutral States a further opportunity of stating their views of the Draft Covenant before a Committee of the League of Nations Commission. The list of those present corresponds to that made public yesterday.

The remaining articles of the Covenant were examined successively.

At the end of the meeting Lord Robert Cecil thanked those present for their assistance, and for the labours of several neutral States in previously elaborating projects for a League of Nations, of which, he said, the Commission had made much use. He added that he was prepared to say that the Peace Conference hoped that all the States there represented would become original members of the League.

INTERNATIONAL LABOUR.

The thirty-second and thirty-third meetings of the Commission on International Labour Legislation took place to-day under the presidency of Mr. Gompers.

The Commission continued the discussion of the labour classes proposed for insertion in the Treaty of Peace.

GERMANY'S BILL FOR REPARATION.

EIGHT THOUSAND MILLIONS.

ALLOTMENT OF DAMAGES.

The Press Association's Special Correspondent in Paris, writing on Friday, says—For the moment the reparations and German frontier questions are paramount. They were the subject of a prolonged discussion between Mr. Lloyd George, M. Clemenceau, and President Wilson last night. The Committee of Experts have reduced the reparation claims to £8,000,000,000. On this basis, principal and interest would amount to £16,000,000,000 spread over a period of forty years.

This constitutes one of the proposals made to the Commission. Against it, however, is the estimate of the available sources of German wealth at home and abroad, which, according to American expert opinion, is at the utmost £2,400,000,000, made up as follows—German resources outside their country, £1,600,000,000, which amount is represented in merchant ships, railway lines in Alsace-Lorraine, coal and iron deposits in the Saar valley, foreign securities, and Government property in the former German Colonies. It will be noticed that the Saar valley, for the purpose of this estimate, is included in territory outside Germany. All this outside property is considered by the Commission to be subject to confiscation by the Allies, so that should this view prevail, a sum of £1,600,000,000 would be more or less available for the immediate liquidation of war losses. This would leave £800,000,000 to be paid, if the above American estimate of the total that should be claimed is adopted. To get the balance, the American view is that the chief reliance would have to be placed on the German balance of trade. This matter has opened a subsidiary, but important question—namely, how far German industry should be allowed to compete with that of the rest of the world. The French delegates hold that the German industry should be curbed by taxation of exports and imports. The American and British views tend rather towards permitting Germany to resume her industrial activity in order that she may be able to pay the balance of her debts to the Allies.

A Committee of experts estimates that German exports and imports will yield a balance of about £60,000,000 annually. On this basis the balance of debt could be extinguished in twelve years, and the entire operation concluded. That is the view of the American delegates. It does not meet with general acceptance by other delegates. The French, and to some extent the British, are inclined to ask for much heavier reparation, spread over a much longer period than twelve years.

A difference of opinion also exists over the allotment of damages among the Allies. The French claim priority for the obstruction of invaded regions. Broadly, the British want an allotment on the basis of war costs. France has suffered the heaviest material losses, while Great Britain has imposed the largest burden upon her people. The United States have put in a maximum claim for losses of life and property during the war of £1,100,000,000. The life claim is based on the demand of £5,000 for each life lost by the illegal action of Germany. This excludes, of course, lives lost in fighting on land and sea.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS COMMITTEE.

ARMAMENTS.

Writing from Paris on Friday, the Press Association's Special Correspondent says:—The League of Nations Committee, composed of Lord Robert Cecil (President), M. Leon Bourgeois, Colonel House, M. Hymans, M. Venezelos, and M. Vesnitch, met at the Hotel Crillon yesterday afternoon to hear the representatives of the following neutral States:—Argentina, Chile, Colombia, Denmark, Holland, Norway, Paraquay, Persia, San Salvador, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, and Venezuela. Lord Robert Cecil welcomed the neutral delegates, all of whom announced their adhesion to the scheme; some, indeed, especially the South American representatives, making the most enthusiastic statements on the subject.

After these preliminaries, the Covenant, as adopted by the Peace Conference on February 14th, was examined. There was no discussion, properly speaking, but after the articles had been read the neutral representatives made observations and suggested amendments. Interesting proposals dealt with the reduction of armaments and the control of the manufacture of munitions. Article 8 of the Covenant only went so far as to empower the Executive Council of the League to lay before the various Governments proposals for a reasonable limitation of armaments, and to advise how the evil effects attendant upon the manufacture of munitions might be prevented. Neutral delegates declared themselves in favour of the amendment submitted by M. Leon Bourgeois on behalf of France. M. Bourgeois had proposed the creation of a Commission to estimate the armaments of the various States. Neutral delegates expressed a wish that international conflicts might be laid before a special Arbitration Board before being submitted to the Executive Council, as provided for in Article 12 of the Covenant. Lord Robert Cecil and M. Leon Bourgeois replied that the League of Nations Committee had considered the main aspects of the problem at length, and that it was fully cognisant of the needs of the case, which it considered to be best met by Article 12. The Committee heartily welcomed the suggestions made by the neutral delegates, who expressed themselves satisfied with the results of the meeting. Yesterday's proceedings only dealt with the first fifteen articles of the Covenant, which contains twenty-six articles in all.

GERMANY PERTURBED.

QUESTIONS ON THE PEACE TERMS.

The Press Association's Copenhagen Correspondent forwards a telegram from Berlin, of Thursday's date, which says:—Herr Erzberger, who was President of the German Armistice Commission at Spa, presented a Note yesterday, asking, in the Foreign Minister's and his own name, to be speedily informed whether certain statements attributed by the Press to Mr. Lloyd George and M. Pichon were correct, and whether the Allied and Associated Powers intend to act in accordance therewith. The statement attributed to Mr. Lloyd George is to the effect that the Germans will neither be allowed to discuss the draft of the Peace Treaty, which will be presented to them as soon as President Wilson has given it his sanction, nor to make any alterations in it. The statement attributed to M. Pichon is to the effect that the Allies would not enter into any discussion with the Germans on the preliminary peace, which the Germans could either take or leave.

VIENNA AND INDEPENDENT REPRESENTATION.

According to the Press Association's Berlin Correspondent, Thursday's Newspapers contain a report from a well-informed source to the effect that a desire has been expressed in Vienna for independent representation at the Peace Conference, and for the postponement of the question of union with Germany until after the conclusion of the Peace Conference. It is inferred here that the influence of those circles in Austria which are opposed to a union with Germany is on the increase.

INTERVENTION IN RUSSIA.

FRENCH PRESS AND MR. LLOYD GEORGE.

The *Humanité*, in an attack on Mr. Lloyd George with regard to his Russian policy, says that the claims put forth by Labour will include a demand for the abandonment of all military intervention in Russia.

RUPTURE AT POSEN.

GERMAN SEMI-OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

The Press Association's Special Correspondent in Berlin, telegraphing on Friday, says:—The facts regarding the rupture of the negotiations at Posen are not yet clear from the statements hitherto published. A German semi-official statement gives the impression of concealing the true facts, and this same tendency, of which the old Government was repeatedly accused during the war, is certainly showing itself.

Herr von Gerlach, who, till recently, was Under-Secretary of the Interior, declared today that the result must, in any case, be estimated in quite a different light from that given by the "Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung," when it says:—There is no need to be particularly dissatisfied with the rupture of negotiations, because the Germans in Posen alone suffer. Herr von Gerlach, above all, criticises the fact that the German Army for the protection of the Eastern frontier, which was composed of troops from other parts of the country, who have largely proved untrustworthy, did not afford the Germans the protection they should have done, and that they provoked the Poles, this resulting in the occupation of a considerable part of the province of Posen by the Poles, and the stoppage of the supply of food from the province of Posen. "A policy of conciliation," Herr von Gerlach concludes, "would, here as elsewhere, have borne better fruit than an attempted mailed fist policy on the part of Germany."

A Copenhagen telegram, dated Thursday, says:—The attitude of the German Government towards the rupture of the *pourparlers* at Posen is revealed in a semi-official Berlin telegram, which, after giving its version of the affair, adds:—The rupture of the negotiations is no loss for German interests, because the *Entente's* military proposals also do not satisfy German claims. The telegram adds that the Germans proposed for the Supreme Commission, a neutral President, the members to be appointed by the Prussian Government, and a member to be appointed by an International Commission; whereas the Allies proposed one representative of the Allies, one German, and one Pole, two members to be co-opted. Since no agreement could be reached the negotiations were broken off.

OFFICER'S DEATH AT LEVEL CROSSING.

At the inquest in Cork yesterday on Captain Ashley Elliott Herbert Fetherstonhaugh, 14th Lancers, who was killed in collision with the Cork and Muskerry train at Leemount level crossing, a verdict of accidental death was returned. The jury expressed the opinion that the railway company should provide a red flag, to be shown when a train was approaching. Expressions of sympathy were tendered the relatives of deceased by the jury and solicitors engaged in the case.

BOARD OF NATIONAL EDUCATION.

The Lords Justices have been pleased, by Warrant bearing date the 14th day of March, 1919, to appoint Mr. William Parr to be a Commissioner of National Education in Ireland, in the room of Mr. Richard Bagwell, D.L., deceased.

FATHER O'FLANAGAN'S PASSPORTS.

The Rev. Father O'Flanagan, Vice-President of the Sinn Fein organisation, has been refused passports to America. Father O'Flanagan applied for his passports in the usual way through Dublin Castle to the Foreign Office.

ARMY EDUCATIONAL SCHEMES.

At Buckingham Palace yesterday evening the Queen received in audience Lord Gorell, Deputy Director of Staff Duties (Education) at the War Office, who explained to Her Majesty the progress of a scheme of education in the Army, and the extensions of the benefits of the scheme to the Army of Occupation. Lord Gorell mentioned that at Bonn University and several schools in Cologne British soldiers are being educated in place of German students.

TURKEY IN ASIA.

THE MANDATES.

GREAT BRITAIN AND SYRIA.

A FRENCH ATTACK.

A meeting was held on Thursday afternoon at Mr. Lloyd George's house, says the Press Association's Paris Correspondent, for the purpose of an exchange of views on the question of the allotment and the nature of the mandates for the new countries to be carved out of Asiatic Turkey. Mr. Lloyd George, Mr. Balfour, and General Allenby attended for Great Britain; President Wilson for America, M. Clemenceau for France, and Signor Orlando and General Diaz for Italy. General Allenby supplied information as to the existing state of affairs in Turkey.

Friday's Paris *Temps* says:—As a result of the interview of General Allenby with the Supreme Council of the Peace Conference it was decided to revert to the American suggestions for the appointment of an Inter-Allied Commission, to study on the spot the problem concerning, not only Syria and Palestine, but the whole of Turkey in Asia. By virtue of this decision the distribution of mandates to the different European Powers in the district of Turkish Asia cannot take place before the return of this Commission. That is to say—not for several months.

REMARKABLE FRENCH COMMENT.

Friday's *Journal des Débats* publishes an article on Syria, in which, apparently basing its comments on an entire misconception, says a Reuter telegram, it strongly criticises Great Britain's proceedings in that country and Palestine. The article concludes as follows:—"The idea of assigning to the three sons of the Grand Shereef of Mecca, who has now become King of the Hedjaz, three kingdoms, with their capitals at Damascus, Aleppo, and Mosul, and of establishing a British Arabia extending from Bagdad to Aden, would be pregnant with catastrophe. If it were carried out, the Pan-Arabism, of which the Emir Feisul would readily become an instrument, would be as fatal as the Pan-Islamism of Abdul Hamid, and the Pan-Turkism of Enver, Talaat, and the other Coryphees of the Committee of Union and Progress. Let us admit a fresh beast into our gardens. It would not devour us, because we should, in the end, kill it; but we should only get the best of it after having suffered its ravages. Many Englishmen think as we do in this matter, and regret that zealous specialists should have regarded Arabism as an implement of war to be used against the presumed rivals of Great Britain. They are afraid lest this movement should reach Egypt, and that the ingenious plans of the Arabophiles should turn against that country itself, where disturbances are already reported. It is for the responsible Governments to restore order in this chaos, and to revert to political combinations inspired by good sense, mutual goodwill, and a desire honourably to fulfil their civilising mission."

BOLSHEVIK PERIL.

THREAT TO OVERRUN EUROPE.

ATTACKS TO BE MADE ON THREE FRONTS.

ANARCHIST PROPAGANDA.

Mr. A. Beaumont, Special Correspondent of the Press Association and *Daily Telegraph*, telegraphed from Milan on Thursday:—

The Bolshevik danger to Europe will, according to all indications, be extremely grave during the next few months. A great spring campaign is imminent.

Reports from the Baltic districts, as well as from Poland, Galicia, Rumania, Odessa, and the Siberian front all indicate that the Bolsheviks are not idle. Their army, which is estimated at about 1,200,000, is to face three fronts—the Baltic and the North, the Polish and Ukrainian front, and the Cossacks of the Don. Even if only one-fourth of the total men are available for actual fighting, they will be enough to cause serious trouble.

But the Bolsheviks count less on their military action than on their anarchist propaganda. There are signs that the Bolshevist agitation, which has stirred up disorder in Hungary, is moving across Austria. It finds a favourable field in the distress and discontent of the working population, created by hunger and want and by the stoppage of all industries.

A GERMAN WARNING.

The Press Association's Special Correspondent in Berlin telegraphed on Thursday:—

A warning against under-estimating the Bolshevist danger from abroad is uttered in the *Berliner Tageblatt* by Herr Victor Schiff. In East Prussia, he says, the Spartacist agitation is increasingly assuming the character of a movement supported by the Russian Soviet Government. The advance of the Russian Red Army is now only a question of weeks, and East Prussia is to be regarded as the natural gate into Central Europe. The Spartacist *coup de main* in Koenigsberg at the beginning of this month aimed at establishing direct touch between German and Russian Bolshevists by the simultaneous occupation of Koenigsberg and Kovno, which would have resulted in the appearance of the Soviet troops on German soil within a few days.

ODESSA NOT EVACUATED.

The Press Association says that there is no truth in the report that Odessa has been evacuated by the Allied troops. A despatch reached the Government only yesterday embodying a proclamation issued on Thursday by the French officer in command declaring that on no account would the evacuation take place.

POLES CAPTURE LEMBERG.

A Press Association telegram from Warsaw, dated Thursday, says:—After five days' desperate fighting the relieving troops, commanded by Generals Rozmadovsky and Ivanzkiewicz, broke through the lines of Ukrainian besiegers, and entered Lemberg. A great attack launched on March 18th, after the arrival of reinforcements from Posnania, decided the battle.

BOLSHEVIK RAIDS IN NORTH RUSSIA.

The Secretary of the War Office announces:—North Russia—Archangel.—On March 15th a raid was carried out by Bolsheviks, during which they succeeded in blowing up a gun position. Another Bolshevik raid was carried out on March 18th against one of our positions west of the railway. Neither of these raids in any way affect the general situation.

ADMIRALTY'S APPROVAL OF CHANNEL TUNNEL.

The Press Association learns authoritatively that now that hostilities are ended, the view of the Admiralty is that if the promoters of the Channel tunnel scheme are able to satisfy the Government as to the destructibility of the tunnel in the event of an emergency arising, which may render the course necessary, the Admiralty will be quite prepared to approve the principle of uniting England to France by means of an under-sea tunnel.

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS

The German submarine 342, which was missing, has been towed into Rotterdam.

There is to be an immediate reduction in the price of steel, says a Reuter's Washington telegram.

The Chilian Minister of War has issued an order prohibiting German ships in Chilian harbours from flying the German flag.

Re-enlistments for periods of two, three and four years are taking place at the rate of 700 per day.

The King and Queen of the Belgians were present on Thursday at a review of American trops at Chaumont.

M. Poincaré, on the recommendation of M. Clemenceau, has signed a decree appointing M. Millerand as Commissioner-General of the Republic at Strasburg.

The *Fremdenblatt*, a Vienna Monarchist newspaper, will cease publication to-day, "there being no longer any ground for the maintenance of its former policy." The paper will reappear as *Der Neue Tag*, on a modern democratic basis.

The French Government has decided to present Vimy Ridge to Canada. Vimy was captured by the Canadians on April 9, 1917. The Belgian Government is giving a grant of land in the City of Ypres to the Canadians for a war museum.

The candidates for Central Aberdeen are Mr. L. Davidson Cullen (Coalition) and Mr. J. M. Henderson (Independent Liberal). The Labour Party has not yet come to a decision regarding a candidate, but the National Democratic Party will contest the division.

The Home Secretary gives notice in last night's *London Gazette* that, being satisfied as a result of an inquiry conducted by the certificates of the Naturalisation Revocation Committee that Ludwig Freyberger, to whom a certificate of naturalisation was granted in 1897, has shown himself by act and speech to be disaffected and disloyal to His Majesty, he revokes the certificate, and further directs that Louise Freyberger, his wife, shall cease to be a British subject.

THE LABOUR CRISIS.

SITUATION STILL CRITICAL.

RAILWAYMEN AND GOVERNMENT'S OFFER.

DECISION OF MINERS' DELEGATES.

TO-DAY'S IMPORTANT CONFERENCE IN LONDON.

The Labour crisis in Great Britain is still serious. The railway delegates held a protracted meeting in London yesterday, and at its conclusion Mr. Thomas stated that it had been decided to reject the Government's offer; that that decision had been immediately conveyed to the Government, and that the matter had been referred to the Triple Alliance.

A largely attended meeting of the miners' delegates sat at Westminster to discuss the acceptance or rejection of Mr. Justice Sankey's report. It was decided to adjourn the consideration of the matter until Wednesday, and to open up negotiations with the Government to secure modifications in the Sankey report. Meantime the men will continue to work.

The Triple Alliance met at night and reviewed the whole Labour situation. They instructed their Sub-Committee, in conjunction with the National Union of Railwaymen's Negotiating Committee, to approach the Government with a view to removing the deadlock between the Railwaymen's Union and the Railway Executive. To-day the Triple Alliance will meet the Government at Downing street.

In Labour circles last night there was a feeling that, although the situation is yet critical, to-day's meeting at Downing street may pave the way to a settlement.

THE MINERS' DECISION.

The delegates of the Miners' Conference met yesterday at Westminster to discuss the acceptance or rejection of Mr. Justice Sankey's report.

At the close of the Conference Mr. Thomas stated that the delegates had rejected the Government's offer, that the decision had been conveyed to the Government, and that the matter would be dealt with at a meeting of the Triple Alliance last night.

When the Conference adjourned for lunch Mr. Straker made an official statement, which showed that there were 193 miners' representatives present, the largest attendance ever known for a National Miners' Conference.

The Chairman, after reviewing the reports of the Coal Commissioners, said that he deeply regretted the foolish utterances of Mr. Bonar Law in the House of Commons, in which he had threatened the miners. They reminded him of the noble lord in 1834 who told the Durham miners that he had all the forces of the State, legal and military, behind him, and that he would not hesitate to use these to break the strike. The miners, he said, based their claims on the justice of their cause. If a strike ensued, and the Government beat them or they beat the Government, the result would only prove who were the stronger.

A general discussion on the situation followed, after which the Conference adjourned until later in the day.

The Conference adjourned in the evening until Wednesday. The workers are advised to continue working from day to day. In the meantime negotiations are to be opened up with the Government to secure the necessary modifications of the Sankey report.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

A later telegram says—The meeting of the Executive Committee in the afternoon at Russell square was delayed owing to the important interview which had taken place. After the adjournment of the full Conference at Westminster, the Executive sat until 5 o'clock, and then proceeded to report to the delegate meeting. The Conference was addressed chiefly by Mr. Smillie, and a short discussion took place. The Conference broke up a few minutes after 6 o'clock, when the following official statement was issued:—

The Conference reassembled this afternoon, when the Executive Committee brought up the following resolution:—"Having fully considered the whole situation, we recommend the Conference to stand adjourned until Wednesday next, and the workmen be advised to continue working from day to day, and that in the meantime negotiations be opened with the Government to secure all the necessary modifications of the Sankey Report." That was agreed to by an overwhelming majority.

Mr. Brace subsequently informed the Press Association representative that the decision meant in effect that the strike notices will be postponed until Wednesday next.

RAILWAYMEN REJECT GOVERNMENT'S OFFER.

The proceedings at the railwaymen's meeting at Trinity House were protracted, and it is understood that expressions of opinion on the offer of the Government were most frank and free. The meeting broke up just before three. After the delegates had left a meeting of the Executive was held. At its conclusion Mr. Thomas said a special delegate meeting has rejected the Government offer, and that decision has already been conveyed to the Government. The Triple Alliance will deal with the matter this evening.

TRIPLE ALLIANCE MEETS.

TO-DAY'S CONFERENCE WITH THE GOVERNMENT.

The Triple Alliance last evening decided to instruct their sub-committee, in conjunction with the N.U.R. Negotiating Committee, to approach the Government with a view to removing the deadlock between the N.U.R. and the Railway Executive, and, meanwhile, to request the N.U.R. members to remain at work during the negotiations, and pending a further decision of the Triple Alliance. A meeting between the Triple Alliance and the Government will take place at Downing street to-day.

The Triple Alliance sat for about an hour and a half, and at the conclusion of the meeting the following official statement was made jointly by Mr. J. H. Thomas and Mr. Robert Williams:—"The Triple Alliance has met and reviewed the whole position. They were informed of the developments in the negotiations of the miners and the transport workers, and also of the decision of the N.U.R. to declare a strike. The following resolution was unanimously carried: 'That this conference of the Triple Alliance instructs the sub-committee, in conjunction with the N.U.R. Negotiating Committee, to approach the Government with a view to removing the deadlock between the N.U.R. and the Railway Executive, and meanwhile it requests the N.U.R. members to remain at work during the negotiations, and pending a further decision of the Triple Alliance.'"

After giving this report of the conference, Mr. Thomas further stated:—"I have communicated the decision of the Triple Alliance to the Government, and a meeting between the sub-committee of the Triple Alliance, the Negotiating Committee of the N.U.R., and representatives of the Government will take place at Downing street at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning."

HOPES OF SETTLEMENT.

The decision of the Triple Alliance will be formally communicated to the railwaymen's delegates this morning. In labour circles last night there was a feeling that, although the situation continued critical, to-day's meeting at Downing street might pave the way to a settlement.

Telegrams were despatched last night to the branches of the miners' organisations throughout the country announcing the decision of the miners' conference. Notices to cease work terminate to-day, but it is believed that the recommendation of the Federation to continue at work will generally be loyally observed.

Mr. Bromley, of the locomotive members' society, last night denied that there was a deadlock in the railway negotiations. He said that the Government offers were insufficient, and that negotiations are still open.

COAL STRIKE UNPOPULAR.

In the Sheffield district the prospect of a coal stoppage is viewed with grave concern. The public have no sympathy with the miners, and feel that they should accept Mr. Justice Sankey's report. The older miners take up the same position, and believe that the terms offered should be accepted. The Lord Mayor has issued a public statement, expressing the opinion that Mr. Justice Sankey's report is a very great pronouncement in favour of the coal miners, and substantially conceded their claims. He hopes that they will recognise this, and so avoid a national calamity.

COAL SHORTAGE.

An Exchange Company's message from Paris says:—Mr. Hoover, in a report to the Supreme Economic Council, says that the diminution in coal production in Europe has been so great that the economic life of various Southern European districts threatens to collapse completely.

SPECIAL EXTRA.

GERMAN OBSTRUCTION AT POSEN.

The Germans at Posen have been playing a game of obstruction, says *The Times* Correspondent, in order to gain time and prevent anything definite being done. The German Commandant at Danzig definitely refused to give the Allied naval officers maps of the port and the details necessary for them to make arrangements for disembarkation. Every request of this nature is being referred to Berlin. Similarly the Germans recently refused to allow a shipload of Polish wounded men to be repatriated through Danzig. The *Temps* declares that General Dupont, head of the French military mission in Germany, is in possession of a Note, in which the German authorities definitely refuse to allow Polish troops to disembark at Danzig, or French officers belonging to the military mission at Warsaw to enter territory occupied by Germans east of the Vistula. It is to be hoped that the facts mentioned above will stiffen the attitude of the Council of Ten, and induce them to take resolute action in regard to those in Danzig, to show no further hesitation in settling the frontiers of the Polish corridor to the sea. Mr. Lloyd George's influence was exerted to try to obtain a reduction in the number of Germans to be included in the New Poland, and to bring the conclusions of the Commission more into line with Wilsonian principles. The Commission, after reconsidering its finding, has decided that it is impossible to alter its original conclusions.

THE HAMBURG SHIPS.

A *Times* war telegram from Berlin on March 21 says:—Dr. Schroder, for twenty-nine years one of Hamburg's leading jurists, and a millionaire, and a connection of the Schroder Bank in London, is the leader and originator of the Hamburg strike against the sailing of ships to fetch food. Dr. Schroder, with the aid of Dr. Louffenberg and a Russian Bolshevist, named Sturn, has organised and financed the Spartacist movement in Hamburg since November 10. Most of the funds are, however, provided by Sturn. The Seamen's Union, which is opposing the sailing, consists largely of unemployed, who have no connection with the sea, except in name. The object of the Spartacists and their Bolshevist allies is to prevent food from coming into Germany at all costs, since experience has already shown that Bolshevism has very little chance among Germans as soon as fats and other foods arrive. An interesting illustration of this was provided at Dantzig when the first American supplies were distributed. A Spartacist outbreak had been arranged for a certain day, and reports of the secret police showed that the adherents were many thousands. On the day before the intended outbreak the American Commission arranged hurriedly for the issue of a certain quantity of fats and other foodstuffs from supplies already landed. No outbreak occurred, and next day reports of confidential agents showed that the number of would-be strikers had been reduced to less than one-fifth of the original number. Dr. Schroder has several times declared that his adherents would resort to *sabotage* to prevent the sailing of ships.

SERIOUS BOLSHEVIST DEFEAT.

A *Times* war telegram from Omsk, dated March 9, says:—Admiral Koltchak's recent visit to the front has already begun to bear fruit. The forces between Perm and the Siberian Railway have just initiated a vigorous offensive, with completely successful results. At some points the Bolshevists have been pushed back 33 miles. Okhansk is recaptured, and between there and Ossa the enemy front has been broken up for a distance of 20 miles. Ossa is practically surrounded. Marked success was also obtained at Birsk in the Ufa sector. The enemy is reported to be retiring precipitately on the whole front. Masses of panic-stricken prisoners are being taken, and quantities of material, which are not yet examined. The advance continues. The military information reports growing disorganisation in the Bolshevist rear. Whole units seem to desert owing to the tyranny of the enemy's rule. Prisoners report that during the operation from 30 to 60 per cent. of the effectives vanish when required to advance. Forcible mobilisation and the rigours which are being practised against peasants and workmen alike are turning the whole population against the Bolshevist leaders.

THE LEAGUE'S CAPITAL.

The Belgian Delegation to the Peace Conference, says a Paris telegram, has addressed an official request to the delegates of the five Great Powers, that Brussels may be chosen as the capital of the League of Nations. This is the first official offer in this regard.

THE LABOUR CRISIS.

The Labour situation, says the *Daily Chronicle*, is a degree easier this morning, as the miners have decided not to come out on strike to-day. It is a business-like decision, and it will be welcomed by the country, not only because it averts the immediate catastrophe of a coal strike, but because it indicates that the more experienced and cool-headed leaders still retain their ascendancy in the counsels of this very large body of British workers. The case of the railwaymen is one for very careful weighing of policy on national grounds. If no agreement can be reached, the journal suggests getting the question weighed by a Commission.

PROSPERITY OR POVERTY.

The menace of a strike that would paralyse the nation, says the *Daily Telegraph*, no longer appears so grave. Courage and confidence are what we need to carry us through a perilous phase of reconstruction. But the facts must be faced, and, above all, this central fact—that the question whether Britain is to be a prosperous or a poverty-stricken country will be decided by the action of British labour in the period now opening, and that no changes in wages or hours, no reorganisation of industry, which are not accompanied by higher production will get that question decided as we all should wish.

MINISTERIAL CHANGES.

The Times understands that General Swinton is relinquishing his post at the Ministry of Labour, having accepted an appointment at the Air Ministry.

The Lobby Correspondent of the London *Daily Express* understands that Lord Ashton of Hyde has resigned his position on the Import Restrictions Council on the same grounds as Lord Emmott.

SINN FEIN RIOTERS SENTENCED.

At Belfast Assizes yesterday the four Sinn Fein prisoners—Patrick Joseph McLernan, Henry Loughran, Francis O'Grady, and John O'Neill—convicted the previous evening of riot at a Sinn Fein demonstration in the vicinity of Divis street, Belfast, on the 1st December, were discharged on payment of a fine of £10 each. Mr. Justice Dodd expressed the opinion that the police handled a difficult situation with ability.

CATTLE-MAIMING IN CO. ROSCOMMON.

The Commission of Assize for the County of Roscommon was opened in the Roscommon Courthouse yesterday. The Right Hon. Mr. Justice Pim presided in the Crown Court. In the Record Court appeals were decided by the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Gordon.

Addressing the Grand Jury, his lordship said that there were only four bills for their consideration, and none of these was likely to present any difficulty. The police reports were, on the whole, very good, but he regretted that there were two cases of maiming of cattle—a crime in itself terrible and brutal, in addition to being one of shocking cruelty. There were none of these cases last year. It was very regrettable they should have occurred, because such cases were not frequently known of. There were the same number of criminal injury cases and injury to property.

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ROLL OF HONOUR

Last night's casualty lists record the names of 206 men dead, and 15 wounded or missing.

ARMY.

RELEASED PRISONERS OF WAR NOW REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN WOUNDED WHEN TAKEN PRISONERS.

AMBROSE-SMITH, Lieut.-Colonel J., Lan. Fusiliers.
BOYD, Captain R., Royal Dublin Fusiliers.
BOYER, Captain H. M., M.C., Royal Inniskilling Fus.
FARREN, Major R. H., Royal Field Artillery.
HATTON, Second Lieut. J. G., West Yorks. Regiment.
MITCHELL, Second Lieutenant W. G., R.F.A.
OTTER, Lt.-Col. R., M.C., Queen's (R.W.Surr.Regt.) (Captain Norfolk Regiment).

OTHER RANKS.

All are privates except where otherwise shown. The town shown against each soldier's name is the home of his next-of-kin except when followed by the abbreviation "Enlt.," when it is his place of enlistment.

NOW REPORTED KILLED.

ROYAL IRISH REGIMENT.—Shaughnessy, 25771, M. (Ennis).

ROYAL INNISKILLING FUSILIERS.—Allum, 47933 Sgt. C. (Kensington, W.).

ROYAL DUBLIN FUSILIERS.—Flynn, 19951 L.-Cpl. C. (Dublin).

ROYAL IRISH FUSILIERS.—Battie, 9721 Sgt. M. (Milford); Byrne, 9480, Sgt. J. (Kilrow, Co. Kildare).

DIED.

CONNAUGHT RANGERS.—Mason, 15217 J. (Cork).

LABOUR CORPS.—McCann, 633150 P. (Belfast).

IRISH PRISONERS RELEASED FROM GERMANY.

The following soldiers, with others, who were prisoners of war in Germany, have been released, and have arrived in England:—

ROYAL ENGINEERS.—Ryan, 17566 C. (Easky, Co. Sligo).

IRISH GUARDS.—Brown, 4001 E. W. (Londonderry); Irvine, 2360 S. (Salford); Lynch, 1026 A. (Athy).

ROYAL IRISH REGIMENT.—Gorey, 7408 P. (Thomastown); Johnson, 10804 J. (Kilkenny); Larkin, 3209 J. (Waterford); Lynch, 9191 J. (Carrick-on-Suir); Meghan, 8185 T. (Kilkenny); O'Neill, 6342 P. (Waterford); Reid, 8150 J. (Kilmacow); Teetor, 10585 B. (Piltown).

ROYAL INNISKILLING FUSILIERS.—Barr, 10452 I. (Londonderry); Breslin, 10208 C. (Londonderry); Cash, 9129 A. (Belfast); Close, 9480 Sgt. H. H. (Banbridge); Elwood, 41595 A. (Shepherd's Bush, W.); Heslin, 4526 J. (New York, U.S.A.); Hill, 7424 S. (Omagh); Howlett, 43437 M. Y. (Leyton, E.); McCoy, 9689 W. (Belfast); Macfarland, 6749 W. (Mullaghmore); M'Ilroy, 10462 W. (Belfast); Moore, 7505 J. (Fintona); Naughton, 7273 J. (Londonderry); Rice, 7561 P. (Coatbridge).

ROYAL IRISH RIFLES.—Chelmis, 13547 N. (Cardiff, enlt.); Craig, 456 L.-Sgt. S., M.M. (Downpatrick); English, 5744 A. (Belfast); Fenlon, 9424 J. (Belfast); Houghton, 41290 G. V. (Castle Hedingham); Johnston, 8011 R. (Belfast); M'Burney, 8567 R. (Belfast); M'Connell, 45554 J. (Ballyclan); M'Cradden, 9295 G. (Belfast, enlt.); M'Gowan, 7732 H. (Belfast); Morton, 418 A. (Dunmurry); Musgrave, 23040 A. C. (Paignton); O'Mahoney, 10235 J. (Fermoy); Robinson, 8293 G. (Lisburn).

ROYAL IRISH FUSILIERS.—8774 R. (Carlisle); Finnimore, 13655 A. C. (Boyton); Holland, 8148 W. (Belfast); Hunter, 11425 G. (Newry); King, 10373 L.-Cpl. J. (Richmond); Leeman, 3843 L.-Cpl. E. (Portadown); Maguire, 11391 P. (Portadown); Maites, 11361 E. (Wicklow); Marks, 7388 W. (Whitehouse); Nairn, 11849 W. (Scotshouse); Newton, 11277 W. (Dublin); Ruddy, 9900 R. (Belfast); Weir, 8377 J. (Ballymena); White, 10937 J. (Tandragee).

CONNAUGHT RANGERS.—Geraghty, 7025 J. (London); Lotan, 7057 P. (Coatbridge); M'Hugh, 6617 T. (Liverpool); Reynolds, 10714 G. (Wexford).

LEINSTER REGIMENT.—Clifford, 6813 J. (Birr); Farrell, 8784 F. (Longford); Gibbons, 15465 T. (Tonypandy); O'Donoghue, 4390 F. (Cork).

ROYAL MUNSTER FUSILIERS.—Anderson, 8134 P. (Chelsea, S.W.); Barrett, 8523 C. (Kilfinane); Behan, 9506 T. (Tralee); Benson, 7275 H. (Limerick); Bradish, 6843 W. (Limerick); Colohan, 7468 P. (Limerick); Cronin, 9929 P. (Cork); Connelly, 6465 J. (Cork); Donnelly, 7205 P. (Tralee); Donovan, 9448 J. (Cork); Dorgan, 8764 P. (Cork); Dulig, 10050 M. (Limerick); Dundon, 6314 M. (Newton Abbot); Evans, 10126 T. (Bognor); Foley, 9349 J. (Tralee); Gibbons, 9155 A. (Stroud); Halvey, 6113 A. (Limerick); Hartnett, 7830 C. (Limerick); Hanley, 7416 J. (Cork); Hayes, 6151 M. (Limerick); Herrity, 7816 M. (Tralee); Hogan, 8075 D. (Tralee); Hudson, 7384 A. (Monmouth); Kelleher, 6956 J. (Cork); Kelleher, 7528 D. (Cork); Kenny, 10160 B. (Cork); Lynch, 7228 S. (Pontypridd); McCarthy, 6389 C. (Limerick); McCarthy, 6929 H. T. (Cork); McCarthy, 7074 E. (Cork); Mahoney, 4495 T. (Bandon); Malone, 7288 W. (Killaloe); Manley, 9839 W. (Limerick); Mulcahy, 9794 W. (Ballincurra); Mullen, 7843 E. (Warrenpoint); Murphy, 6304 J. (Cork); Murphy, 9595 P. (Cork); Murray, 9971 P. (Dublin, enlt.); Nolan, 7443 J. (Listowel); O'Connor, 8359 J. (Cork); Ogden, 10101 J. (Cork); O'Mahoney, 7033 R. (Cork); O'Neill, 5922 B. (Cork); Power, 7997 P. (Queenstown); Quinlan, 10127 M. (Bandon); Quirke, 6357 C. (Limerick); Quirke, 9952 M. (Cork); Salmon, 15205 T. (Renvyle); Scanlon, 8335 E. (Trehafod); Sheelan, 9774 T. (Cork); Stout, 7762 M. (Cork); Sullivan, 6346 D. (Swansea); Ward, 5999 J. (Limerick); Whelton, 7097 J. (Treherbert).

ROYAL DUBLIN FUSILIERS.—Berne, 8169 A. (Harlesden); Brava, 11328 R. (Bray); Byrne, 11332 W. (Belfast); Chester, 7889 P. (Dublin); Coffey, 26843 D. (Bunnanadden); Dunne, 11049 M. (Dublin); Gillespie, 16698 D. (Bridgetown); Holden, 9098 J. (Carlow); Kain, 11482 H. (Carrickslaney); Mahoney, 8716 D. (Carrigtohill); Nice, 16672 F. E. (Bury St. Edmunds); Pender, 9194 P. (Cabra); Roberts, 9183 M. (Athy); Toucher, 9610 P. (Kilcullen); Tuite, 8926 M. (Borris); Wade, 9316 E. (Dublin); Willoughby, 9471 W. (Hacketstown).

MACHINE GUN CORPS.—Hamilton, 18653 W. (Killaloe).

THE IRISH GEOGRAPHICAL ASSOCIATION.

Professor C. H. Oldham delivered a lecture yesterday afternoon in the Royal College of Science, Dublin, on the subject of "Geographical Factors in Economic Development." With the aid of a series of maps and other lantern illustrations, the lecturer showed how geographical influences advance or retard economic interests in various parts of the world.

THE CHURCH OF IRELAND.

The Board of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund (Church of Ireland) met in Dublin on Thursday. The Chairman (Mr. J. A. Maconchy) presided. The other members present were:—The Archdeacon of Ferns, the Archdeacon of Clogher, Canon H. B. Kennedy, Canon Kernan, the Earl of Belmore, D.L.; Major E. H. C. Wellesley, Captain William Knox, D.L.; Mr. Herbert Ewart, and Mr. Howard Guinness. A letter of apology for non-attendance from Rev. T. C. Hammond was read. Four cases were investigated. All of the clergymen, whose incomes were declared liable to deduction, as provided by Section 9 of the Statute, were registered as contributors. The widow of a contributor, whose husband died on 30th January last, was declared entitled, subject to the production of the required proofs, to an annuity of £45, with £5 per annum from the Supplemental Fund. Intimation was received of the death, on 25th February last, of an annuitant widow at £30 upon the Clogher Clergy Widows' Fund. Permission to continue membership was granted to a clergyman who had taken work under the Dublin University Mission to Chota Nagpur. The Ven. Archdeacon Colquhoun resigned his seat on the Board. Major E. H. C. Wellesley was co-opted as a member of the Board, in the room of Captain R. Wade Thompson, deceased. Payments for the current quarter were ordered as follow:—The Widows' and Orphans' Fund (Church of Ireland), £1,285 13s.; Diocesan Widows' Fund, £173 10s. The Board adjourned until 10th April.

THE HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

The third of the special sermons arranged by the Home Mission Society will be preached tomorrow in Christ Church Cathedral at 4.30 p.m., after Evensong, which begins at 3.30. The subject will be "The Church and the Capitalist," and the preacher will be the Rev. R. M. Gwynn, F.T.C.D.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH.

As to-morrow is the Sunday nearest March 21st, when the great German offensive began last spring, a solemn *Te Deum* will be sung in St. Bartholomew's after 7 o'clock Evensong.

THE MOTHERS' UNION.

The annual Service for the members of the Mothers' Union will be held on Tuesday next, the Feast of the Annunciation, in Christ Church Cathedral, at 11.30 a.m. There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion, and an address will be given by the Dean.

CLERGY WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' SOCIETY.

The Council of the Church of Ireland Clergy Widows' and Orphans' Society held an election at their offices, 11 Molesworth street, Dublin, on Thursday. After a scrutiny of the voting papers returned by the subscribers, Miss M. S. Beere, having obtained 783 votes, was declared elected as an annuitant of the Society. It is earnestly hoped that before the next election the subscriptions will be much increased. Out of a list of fifteen candidates, the Council were only able to elect one annuitant.

ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN METHODIST CHURCH.

The Rev. W. Crawford, M.A., will conduct the Service in St. Stephen's Green Methodist Church to-morrow morning. At the evening Service the Rev. James Grubb will commence a series of sermons on "The Word of the Cross." Strangers and visitors to the city are invited.

MONKSTOWN HOSPITAL.

In connection with the report of the annual meeting of Monkstown Hospital which was published yesterday, Mr. Guy B. Pilkington, the Hon. Secretary, writes to us to say that the statement in the report that the accounts had closed with a balance of £190, should have read "had closed with a debit balance of £190."

WOMAN CLERKSHIPS, G.P.O., LONDON.
Exam. announced for 29th April.
336 Vacancies.
Age 18-20; salary £2 weekly.
70 of the 75 SUCCESSES ADVERTISED FROM DUBLIN CLASSES at the last 4 exams. were obtained by Students of SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green, Dublin, and Best Irish Result at each Competition. Special Oral and Correspondence Classes working.—(Advt.)

PARLIAMENT.

THE PREVENTION OF UNEMPLOYMENT.

In the House of Commons yesterday, the Speaker took the chair at noon. It was the first "private members' day" since the abolition of that institution at the outbreak of the war.

Mr. Waterson moved the second reading of a bill for the Prevention of Unemployment. He said that something must be done to prevent the unemployment, which would otherwise probably become rampant in the near future. This bill provided for co-ordination between the Ministry of Labour, as the central authority, and the local authorities, with the object of regularising the labour of the country, and keeping it steady, in preference to having alternate periods of overwork and unemployment. The Labour Exchanges were not so much used as they should be, and this bill provided for their compulsory use. Every local council representing a population of 20,000, would be compelled to set up local machinery dealing with unemployment. There would be unrest until the workers were assured of regular employment and reasonable conditions of living.

Mr. Daniel Irving urged the Government to consider favourably the principle of the bill.

Major Claude Lowther said that he was not opposed to the proposals contained in the bill, but before putting them into practical operation we must see where the money was to come from.

Sir John Butcher said he thought that the bill was too vague to afford any remedy for the evil of unemployment. He advised the House to proceed along the lines of Mr. Justice Sankey's report, by meeting the just demands of Labour.

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR.

Sir Robert Horne said that the bill contained a very ambitious and far-reaching scheme, designed to prevent unemployment. It covered the activities of many Government Departments, and before any conclusion could be come to on a large number of the clauses it would be necessary not only to have consultations between those Government Departments, but an elaborate investigation into the activities of each, in the separate spheres which came within the purview of the bill. What the bill proposed was to render perpetual the temporary system, which he (the member for Burnley) deplored. That was one reason why the Government were unable to support the bill. Another reason was that the recent Industrial Conference had appointed a Committee to suggest what should be done to deal permanently with the question of unemployment. That Committee was sitting day by day, and he looked with great hopes to the result of their discussions. Until that Committee reported, it would be obviously improper for the Government to appear to prejudge the question or to come to any definite conclusion before the report was received. If the Government thought that there was any reasonable hope that the bill would prevent unemployment, it would have their full and ardent support, but they did not think it well designed for that purpose, and, therefore, they were unable to support it.

The House divided, when the second reading was rejected by 118 votes to 56.

DOGS PROTECTION BILL.

Sir Frederick Banbury moved the second reading of the Dogs Protection Bill, the object of which, he said, was to prevent experiments on dogs.

The second reading was agreed to without a division.

The House rose at 3.50 p.m.

CAMPBELL COLLEGE, BELFAST.

PROPOSED WAR MEMORIAL.

A meeting of the Old Campbellian Society and parents of past and present members of the School was held in Thompson's Restaurant, Belfast, on Thursday, to discuss the question of a War Memorial, and to form a Committee to carry out some scheme to commemorate those Old Campbellians who had made the supreme sacrifice, and also those who had served during the war. The Rev. A. W. Barton, B.D., presided, and there was a large attendance.

The Head Master explained the object of the meeting, and read several letters from Old Campbellians, giving their views as to the form the memorial should take. It was decided that those present should form an *Interim* Committee to take the matter up, and Lieutenant-Colonel Mitchell, M.D., was appointed Chairman, with Major H. R. Haslett and Mr. R. D. Williams as Hon. Secretaries, and Mr. H. Trevor Montgomery as Hon. Treasurer. A small Executive Committee, consisting of Sir Robert Kennedy, K.C.M.G., D.L. (Chairman of the Governors); the Head Master, Mr. W. M. B. Allison, Dr. R. W. Leslie, Mr. J. Hill Dickson, J.P.; and Mr. H. R. Russell, with the Chairman and Hon. Secretaries and Hon. Treasurer, was also formed to draw up a draft appeal and make the necessary preliminary arrangements.

It was the feeling of the meeting that the Committee should aim at a sum sufficient to raise a memorial worthy of those who have fallen. Subscriptions will be received and acknowledged by the Hon. Treasurer, Mr. H. Trevor Montgomery, F.C.A., 13 Donegall square, North, Belfast.

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY, BELFAST, WAR MEMORIAL.

Yesterday a deputation from the University Services Club waited upon a Convocation of the Queen's University, Belfast, with reference to the proposed memorial to be erected to the Queen's men who had fallen in the war. The deputation suggested that the extension of the entrance hall of the University, in addition to the erection of a stained glass window and brass mural plaque, was inappropriate. They favoured instead that the memorial should take the form of an appropriate statue, placed midway between the present Hamilton Tower and the door of the entrance hall; that the Hamilton Tower be removed to the north-east corner of the College ground, and replaced by iron gates; that two crescentric drives be made from the gates to the entrance hall, sweeping round either side of the statue.

FEDERATION IN MUSIC.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

Before the war Germany had a most efficient organisation, by which her musical artistes and professors and her various musical industries backed one another up in "the German "peaceful penetration" of England. To counteract this we had no organised system.

Now, however, our musical industries have adopted that watchword of co-operation which is generally admitted to be that of the new era of commerce opening before us, and are forming a "Federated Board of the Music Industries of Great Britain and Ireland," the scope of which is of the widest. There will be a general combination between the manufacturing, publishing, and distributing associations connected with these industries, and those connected with the performing, teaching, and encouragement of British music throughout the Empire.

Exhibitions at home and abroad are to be organised, and a permanent exhibition arranged showing the progress in these industries from early times. At a central building in London meeting rooms, a library, reading rooms, and so on are to be provided for the various musical associations, and a reference library established of all musical publications.

Grants and other assistance will be given in aid of scientific research, awards and medals to manufacturers and workmen, and also to apprentices—a vitally important matter in view of the fact that it is to the scientific training of the workman that the German has owed any success he has had in the past.

A banking department is to be established to provide facilities for the development of our music industries, and a register kept of the *status* of all manufacturers and dealers throughout the world. There will be a general effort to improve the quality of production and uphold the honourable conduct of members.

This scheme was explained at the "Victory" dinner of the Pianoforte Manufacturers' Association, at which a grand piano was used made entirely in England—noteworthy because before the war not a single grand piano action was made in these islands.

AMERICA AND THE CLASSICS.

COMPULSORY LATIN ABOLISHED.

The New York Correspondent of *The Times* announces that Yale and Princeton, two of the greatest American Universities, have decided on sweeping reforms in their curriculum policy, both Universities abolishing the principle of compulsory Latin. It will now be possible to obtain any degree without that language, with the exception of the Arts degree at Princeton. At all other examinations the candidates will be permitted to offer a modern language instead of Latin. Princeton goes farther still, and will abolish compulsory Greek in the examination for an Arts degree.

THE ATLANTIC FLIGHT.

A Reuter's telegram from St. John's, Newfoundland, says:—Preparation here for the British Transatlantic flights are taking rapid shape. Two British airmen have leased ground in the vicinity of St. John's from which initial attempts will be made. A party of British airmen and meteorological experts are conducting observations of air currents and other conditions. Government officials are ready to afford every assistance in the arrangements for the projected flight.

Fleet Paymaster J. W. Harris Hull, R.N.R., Board of Trade Superintendent at Tilbury Docks, was found dead in his bath yesterday.

COMRADES OF THE GREAT WAR.

FINE MEETING IN DUBLIN.

GENERAL HICKIE'S TRIBUTE TO IRISHMEN.

A meeting of the Comrades of the Great War was held in the Aberdeen Hall, Gresham Hotel, Dublin, last night. Mr. E. White presided over a large attendance of discharged and demobilised men. When Captain Towse, V.C., who lost his eyesight in the South African War, where he won his decoration, entered the room on the arm of the Chairman he was accorded a hearty welcome.

The Chairman said that Captain Towse, who was present at great inconvenience, had spent three years in France during the war in devoted attendance on his fellow-sufferers there. In Dublin for months past they had had great trouble in getting suitable premises for the "Comrades," but at last they had practically secured the very fine premises of the City of Dublin War Pensions Committee, 42 York street, which would be opened by Viscount French. Here they would have concerts, dances, reading and recreation rooms, etc.

Captain Towse, V.C., who was most cordially received, recounted his early Army experiences, and then, turning to the Comrades' movement, said that they wanted to rope themselves together—officers, non-commissioned officers, and men—for the good of the movement, to help each other, and to help their country for which they had been fighting. There was required a true spirit of mutual help and support, that true spirit of comradeship which bound them and all ranks together. He said that if they did not do something to bind themselves together, they should be again forgotten. They were going to see that the men who had served would be helped to become again self-supporting, self-respecting citizens, and they wanted to help in the reconstruction of the country and Empire for which they had risked their lives. Captain Towse went on to say that the movement had increased largely of late, and now there were 970 posts and branches in the United Kingdom, South Africa, and Rhodesia. He mentioned that they had so interested one man that he had subscribed £10,000. The speaker also paid a tribute to the excellent work done by women in the war, and said that a women's branch was being formed. (Applause.)

General Hickie, who was received with cheers, said that when in command of the 16th Division in France he often said to his Staff officers that when they got home they must have an organisation in Ireland that would bind the Irish soldiers together. It had come, and it was taking a hold in Ireland, he was glad to say. He had been offered a position by the central body in London; he did not know what it was, but he would do what was given him to do with all his might. Never such *esprit de corps* existed as amongst the Irish in France. (Applause.) The men of the 16th Division were out to be the best men in the best Division in France—and so they were. (Applause.) Let them apply that principle here, and make that movement the best in the Empire. They could do that and would do that. (Cheers.)

Captain Stephen Gwynn urged the necessity of organisation amongst the men who had served. He remarked that he had heard it said that of all the soldiers who had served in the war the Irish soldiers made the greatest sacrifice, because when they came back they got no thanks for what they had done. If the country was not inclined to do what was right by the men when they came back, it was their place to see they did get their rights. They would not get that while they were scattered units throughout the country; they would only get it by organisation. Let them see that no man who had been a soldier should be bullied or intimidated into surrendering the ideals for which he fought; it was up to them to see that no man was a loser for holding the ideas for which he went to the war. He did not want to talk politics, but everyone knew that in the Army that went out from Ireland there were men of most diverse and opposite political opinions, and yet the Irish Divisions lay shoulder to shoulder in the trenches, and went over shoulder to shoulder at Messines, one of the most successful engagements in the whole war. In the whole British Army there were not two Divisions which had more respect and more comradeship between them than the 16th (Irish) and 36th (Ulster) Divisions. This country was in a difficult and critical condition, and there was one thing that they who had served could do, and that was to bring back from the war into peace the spirit of comradeship and mutual respect between Irishmen. If they did that they might yet do even greater service to their country at home. That was the ideal which should be set before not only the Comrades of the Great War, but before every association of soldiers in Ireland who had that common tie of service. There was a greater spirit of patriotism amongst the men who served, both from North and South, than in other classes, and the men to whom he was looking to bring about a better day for Ireland were those citizens who were soldiers in the great war. (Applause.)

Captain Simson, London, also spoke.

The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to the speakers.

DUBLIN LABOUR DISPUTES.

The dispute in connection with the Alliance and Dublin Gas Company has been settled. The terms of the agreement include a reduction of the working hours to 47 per week, 5s. increase to weekly workers and 8s. to stokers and men in the distribution department, and rates and a half for overtime and double rates for Sunday work. The agreement is to be operative from March 15th, and in the event of any further reduction of hours in gas undertakings in England provision is made for another conference to adjust conditions in Dublin.

At a mass meeting of farm labourers it was decided that unless an agreement with the County Dublin Farmers' Association was reached before next Thursday in regard to hours and wages the men would withdraw their labour on the following Saturday.

The dispute involving the unemployment of thirty-two men at the works of Sir Howard Grubb and Co., Rathmines, which occurred some weeks ago, is still in progress. It is stated that fourteen members of the Engineers' Society were dismissed, and that two "dilutees" were kept on. Eighteen men went on strike in sympathy with the members of the Engineers' Society. The strikers claim that the two dilutees should be dismissed with the others, but this claim is contested by the firm.

A national demand for a 38-hour week (inclusive of 7½ hours for meals) has been put forward by the Irish Clerical Workers' Union on behalf of its members. The programme also includes the establishment of a minimum wage of not less than 150 per cent. above pre-war rates—that is, about 20 per cent. over pre-war real wages; an absolute national minimum of 60s. per week for all adult clerical workers (male and female) throughout Ireland who are at present, or who, after the 150 per cent. increase, would still be, in receipt of less than that amount. The recognised wages for apprentices, it is claimed, should be—Less than one year's service, 30s. per week; one year to two years', 40s.; two to three years', 45s.; three to four, 50s.; four to five, 55s.; and over five years', the minimum of 60s. The number of apprentices to clerical workers in receipt of the minimum wage shall be in the ratio of one to five, and all clerical workers are to be given not less than a fortnight's holidays each year, with payment for same in advance, including an equivalent of board and lodgings for indoor workers.

WAR NOTICES AND APPEALS.

FOR SAILORS, SOLDIERS, AND WOMEN OF THE ALLIED FORCES.

The Christian Science War Relief Rooms, which for some time past were located at 38 Dame street, have now been removed to larger premises at 51b Dawson street, where more accommodation is available for reading, writing, conversation, and inquiry rooms, provided for the free use of service men and women, as well as for those of our Allies, a hearty welcome being extended to all.

These rooms are open daily, Sundays included, and are very much appreciated as a quiet place in which to rest, read, or write letters in comfortable home-like surroundings, where also friends can be met.

For those wishing to read Christian Science literature, Mrs. Eddy's works, as well as the weekly and monthly periodicals of this movement, are supplied. Then there is the *Christian Science Monitor*, a daily paper of international interest, of which Lieutenant J. C. Percy writes in the *Motor News* of 25th January that, in his humble judgment, it is one of the best newspapers published in America; that, no matter where one goes, one hears its editorials quoted, and that it exercises tremendous influence amongst thinking Americans, adding that its special article dealing with the surrender of the German Fleet was one of the best bits of word painting he had ever read.

Similar rooms have been established in the United Kingdom and in France, and also in Belfast, under the management of the Christian Science War Relief Committee for Great Britain and Ireland, and have already proved an immense boon to our sailors and soldiers needing a haven of rest.

A welfare worker is always on duty between the hours of 2 and 9 p.m. at 51b Dawson street, and will be happy to show anyone over the rooms who cares to inspect them.

VEGETABLE PRODUCTS COMMITTEE (IRISH BRANCH),
5 Molesworth Street, Dublin.

The Hon. Secretaries appeal for funds to carry on the work of supplying fresh fruit and vegetables to our sailors of the Grand Fleet and to Irish Naval Bases. Cheques should be made payable to Mr. D. L. Ramsay, Hon. Treasurer, and all particulars as to gifts of produce will be gladly furnished by the Hon. Secretaries.

Sir Douglas Haig will visit St. Andrews about the middle of May to be installed Lord Rector of the University and to receive the Freedom of the City.

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HUGUENOT CEMETERY IN DUBLIN.

A LINK WITH THE PAST.

Dublin is now more than ever a city of surprises. Since the "destroyed area" has been levelled, new vistas unfold themselves at every turn, and strange aspects suddenly present themselves. A glimpse of Nelson Pillar may be caught from new angles, and it is possible to see the tops of the mountains from back lanes. Dubliners have now become accustomed to these experiences, but sometimes they get a rude shock when they least expect it. Who, for instance, ever expected to find tombstones within fifty yards of St. Stephen's Green? Yet they have been there for two centuries, and very few people knew it. Their presence was only recently disclosed when a strip of dead wall was pulled down in Merrion row and revealed dramatically the Huguenot burial ground lying beneath the southern wing of the Royal College of Science. Thus do the ancient and the modern clash in Dublin.

The origin of the graveyard is interesting, as it recalls the association of the Huguenots with the city. The Huguenot refugees settled in Dublin in large numbers soon after the restoration of Charles II. The Irish Parliament passed an Act to encourage the settlement of foreign Protestants in Ireland, and the Duke of Ormond, then Lord Lieutenant, exerted himself in forwarding this policy. Cardinal Mazarin died about this time, and, from the date of his death liberty of conscience was curtailed in France. Many members of the Reformed Church there preferred to seek a home in foreign lands, and of these a considerable number reached Ireland. The principal settlement, however, took place when, in 1685, the Edict of Nantes, which had been issued by Henry IV. in 1598, was revoked by Louis XIV., and the limited toleration which had prevailed since the accession of Henry IV. was abruptly terminated. The Huguenots fled out of their country on every side. Many of these helped William of Orange to expel James II. from Ireland, and when peace was restored their settlement in several localities did much to create prosperity.

In Dublin they took up their abode in the Liberties around St. Patrick's Cathedral, and speedily established thriving industries. The beautiful material known as Irish poplin was introduced by them. An old history of Dublin justly observes: "The moral qualities brought and exercised by the refugees and their descendants proved a most valuable acquisition to Dublin; their names are to be found amongst the promoters of all our religious and charitable institutions." Owing to the prevalence of strikes, the poplin industry was almost crippled, and the Liberties, instead of being among the richest, became one of the poorest parts of the city. The refugees were partly Calvinistic and partly Episcopalian. Those among them who conformed to the Church of England worshipped in the Chapel of St. Mary or Lady Chapel attached to St. Patrick's Cathedral, the use of which was granted by the Dean and Chapter. The French Service in St. Patrick's lasted until 1816. Another of the congregations worshipped in a chapel in Peter street, which was not finally closed until 1814. There was also a chapel in Lucy lane, now Chancery place, which was known as the French Church of the Inns. The refugees had special burial grounds allotted to them. That of the Episcopal Church of St. Patrick's was situated at the end of Cathedral lane, and "was a piece of ground commonly known as the Cabbage Garden from the plants originally grown therein." The church in Peter street had also a burying ground attached.

The French Church of the Inns in Lucy lane was sold in the year 1773 to the Presbyterian congregation of Skinner's row, and its burying ground is in Merrion row, the only exclusively Huguenot cemetery now in use in Dublin. When the Four Courts were being built it was found that the church and neighbouring houses endangered the new Record Depositories on which they abutted. The Record Commissioners and the Benchers of the King's Inns took the matter up, and communicated with the ministers and elders of the church, and with the Wide Street Commissioners, with the result that the church was pulled down about the year 1825 by the latter body as part of a scheme for improving the approach to Richmond Bridge. The burying ground attached to the church has, as already stated, remained in Merrion row ever since, but its presence was comparatively unknown. It is now open to the public view, as railings take the place of the old wall, and the entrance gate has been rejuvenated by a coat of dark green paint. Within the narrow confines of the cemetery are the graves of some of the most distinguished members of the Huguenot families whose influence upon the civic welfare is still happily exercised. Their last resting place is appropriately situated close to the centre of the city's business activity, and is a fitting memorial to the honourable part which the refugees and their descendants have taken in promoting the prosperity of Dublin.

CHEEVERSTOWN CONVALESCENT HOME.

The annual meeting of Cheeverstown Convalescent Home for Little Children of the Poor, was held yesterday afternoon at St. Patrick's Nursing Home, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, the Lady Albreda Bourke in the chair.

In the annual report it was stated that the year 1918 had been one of anxiety for all connected with the management of the Home, as a compulsory increase of salaries had to be faced as well as steadily-advancing prices, and an ever-growing difficulty in the collection of funds. Between 11th February and 15th December 190 children were admitted to the Home, the number falling 10 below the number of those received in 1917, but owing to the influenza epidemic it was deemed advisable to close the Home from October onwards to all fresh applicants. After three years' absence in France the Superintendent of the Irish Branch of the Q.V.J.I. made her inspection in the autumn, and the following report was issued by her:—"As no patients were admitted in October, owing to the epidemic of influenza, there were only 12 children in the Home at the date of visiting, but all looked clean, well cared for, and exceedingly happy. The Home equipment, garden, and grounds were in excellent order, and Miss Love makes an ideal matron for the post. She is capable and practical, and has a thorough knowledge of everything in connection with the home farm. Miss Quinliven assists her ably, and Miss Keogh works well with them. Everything was most satisfactory, and it was a pleasure to visit the Home." The report, in conclusion, appealed for funds to allow of an extension of the work.

In moving the adoption of the report and balance sheet, the Master of the Rolls said that no better work could be done and no greater charity extended to members of the community than helping to relieve the sufferings of the poor children which they endured through delicacy. To relieve their sufferings was a duty, not merely to the children, but was a very great service to the State, because if the small children were allowed to grow up delicate and unable to perform their duty towards society as more healthy members of the community did they were nothing more than a burden on the State. He was glad to see from the report that the Corporation of Dublin had given a very generous donation to the funds of the institution. There was a debit balance of £75 8s. 10d., and he hoped that people who had means and who were making their wills would remember Cheeverstown Home. (Applause.)

Lady Coote seconded the adoption of the report, and the motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Edward Taylor, Vice-President of the Royal College of Surgeons, proposed a resolution to the effect that Cheeverstown Convalescent Home was worthy of support. He said that there was a great need for such an institution.

Miss Michie seconded, and the resolution was passed unanimously.

Sir Algernon Coote, proposing a resolution tendering thanks to the speakers, suggested the holding of a summer *fête* at the Home as a means to wiping off the debit balance.

Miss Hay seconded the motion, which was passed with acclamation.

GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC.

ATTITUDE OF CANADIAN GOVERNMENT.

In the Ottawa House of Commons on Thursday Sir William White, the Acting Prime Minister, speaking on the subject of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, declared that the Government was not anxious to deal harshly with the Grand Trunk Railway, but that further negotiations were impossible until the Grand Trunk recognised its liabilities with regard to the Grand Trunk Pacific as an important factor in the situation. "At present," added Sir William White, "we are carrying on as a receiver. What we will do later will be as we may determine; but unless a satisfactory situation ensues the Government will be obliged to pursue whatever legal remedies it may have, and it has many."

HOUSING SCHEMES.

Dr. Addison explained his Housing Bill yesterday. The bill provided that local rates are not to be burdened by more than 1d. in the £ for the housing scheme. Beyond that State assistance would be given. The local authorities should deal with slum areas. In default the Local Government Board or County Council will act themselves. Financial assistance from the State will be available for slum clearances or rehousing. The local authorities are given power to acquire existing houses and make alterations. To expedite the provision of new houses the local authorities are authorised to enter into possession of land required for the purpose at 14 days' notice after compulsory purchase has been made. The local authorities may advance larger sums to tenants desiring to purchase their houses.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE STAFFING OF GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In your issue of the 20th inst. it is stated that the total expense of the National Service Department, Ireland, for the first seventeen months of its existence was £100,000, and that the total number of persons for whom employment was found in the same period was 10,873. On referring to the Parliamentary White Paper I find that the total expenditure is given as £10,000. Adverse comment as to the average cost of finding work *per* person employed has been made on the assumption that the total cost was £100,000, and I trust that you will be able to find space to make the correction.

I may add that the £10,000 includes the railway fares of the workers in a great many cases, and that the Department had other duties to perform in addition to that of bringing employer and labourer together.—Yours, etc.,

S. W. STRANGE.

Department of National Service in
Ireland, 14 St. Stephen's Green,
Dublin, March 21st, 1919.

CHANNEL TUNNELS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—There may be obvious objections to a tunnel from Dover to Calais, but there can be no possible objection to a tunnel from Larne to Stranraer, which would mean much for the prosperity and development of Ireland. But with it, the gauge of our main lines of railway must be altered from the 5ft. 3in. gauge to the English gauge of 4ft. 8½in. Then, and only then, will ferry steamers be of any practical benefit to Dublin and Southern ports. With the altered gauge and the tunnel all things are possible for the development of our Western harbours, for through traffic from England to those ports, both for passengers and goods for shipment to America and Canada. If this scheme is adopted, and if the Government will undertake whole-heartedly the bore-holes in search of minerals which I suggested recently in your paper, a new Ireland will arise. It is construction we want to develop Ireland.—Yours, etc.,

J. ORMSBY LAWDER.

Lawderdale, Ballinamore, Co. Leitrim,
March 20th, 1919.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH AND INDIA.

A Famine Fund Appeal.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—We are under the sad necessity of making known to the members of the Church the serious need for speedy help in India. The Rev. Dr. Steele's letter sets out the case so clearly and fully as to call for no additional words. We earnestly commend it to the kind consideration of your readers in the sure expectation that hearts will be moved and help given at once.

All contributions to be ear-marked "India Famine Fund," and to be forwarded to the Financial Secretary, Church House, Belfast.

EMILY G. SINCLAIR, Hon. Secretary.
W. MINA ANDERSON, Hon. Treasurer.
W.A.F.M.

JOHN IRWIN,
GEORGE THOMPSON,
Joint Conveners Foreign Mission.
6th March, 1919.

Broach, Bombay, December, 1918.

DEAR DR. THOMPSON,—At the recent meeting of our Mission Council a Famine Relief Committee was appointed, and an appeal for help was authorised. As convener of that committee, I have to represent to you the urgent need of help in the present circumstances here; and I do this in the confidence that our supporters in Ireland will not refuse to send us the means necessary to relieve the suffering which is now inevitable in Gujarat and Kathiawar. As you know the later rains almost completely failed in Western India this year. The early rains were good, and for a time the harvest prospects were bright; but the absence of rain towards the end of the season disappointed our hopes of a good year. Local showers, indeed, fell in some areas, and it was not at first certain how far the crop failure would extend. Now it is beyond doubt that over the greater part of our mission field the suffering and want arising from the failure of the late rains will be acute. In South Gujarat, and also in a few places in the extreme North, there were late showers that to some extent improved the situation; but in Kathiawar and in the populous districts of Ahmedabad and Kaira the harvest of the best was a mere fraction (say, one-eighth) of the average, while in many areas it was practically nil. Fodder for cattle was to be had only with great difficulty two months ago, and since then many animals have perished, or have been sold at nominal prices. This scarcity succeeded a poor harvest in the previous year, and prevails at a time when war demands and inadequate transport have raised prices to an unprecedented height in India. It coincided, too, with a virulent epidemic of influenza, which carried off many bread-winners, and left large numbers of convalescents in such a state of weakness that they are ill-fated to endure the pinch of want. Government has recognised the seriousness of the situation, and has taken steps to apply the provisions of the Famine Code to affected areas. Test works are being opened; land revenue is being suspended or remitted; and loans are being given to cultivation to tide them over the time of distress. But Government recognises that the official measures need to be supplemented by private benevolence, and under its auspices Famine Relief Funds are being opened and cheap grain shops encouraged. We know by experience that after Government and private Indian benevolence have done their utmost, there will be much distress left for Christian workers to relieve. We are resolved to do what we can to assist and supplement the official relief operations, and to avoid all overlapping and waste. But to care for orphaned and destitute children, to provide first aid for those who will ultimately join Government relief camps, to give useful work to those who cannot leave their homes, to enable poor Christians to keep their families together, and to succour the helpless and infirm much must remain to be done, which can best be done by Christian agency. Further, the suffering will be great in many native States, where relief will not be administered on the same scale as in British territory. This specially applies to Kathiawar and Cutch, where ours is the only Christian agency at work. These considerations all point to the necessity of a special appeal to our supporters for special help at this time of special need. We make this appeal in the belief that the Church, which has stood by us so loyally in the past will not refuse to come to our aid now. We know the difficulties of the time; but we are confident that even now the Church in Ireland will not turn a deaf ear to the cry of the needy in Gujarat and Kathiawar. Since we preach Christ to these people, we are bound, in the spirit of Christ, to do what we can to help them in their sore need; and we appeal to all who sympathise with our work to provide the means of help.—Yours very sincerely,

J. F. STEELE,
Convener of the Famine Relief Committee.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

WAR OFFICE, MARCH 20TH, 1919.

REGULAR FORCES.—Commandant Lines of Communication (Cl. GG.)—2nd Lt. R. H. Cullay, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, and to be temporary Lt. whilst so employed.

HEADQUARTERS OF ADMIN. SERVS. AND DEPTS.—Dept. Asst. Director of Railway Traffic (Cl. BB.)—Major M. S. S. O'Connor, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, from a Dep. Asst. Director-General of Transpn. (Cl. BB.).

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.—R.G.A.—The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts.:—T. F. M'Dermott, C. A. Hennessy, H. B. A. MacMahon.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.—The undermentioned relinquish the acting rank of Capt.:—Temp. Lt. J. W. Flynn, 11th January, 1919.

INFANTRY.—Ryl. Irish Regt.—Temp. Lt. E. A. W. Smith, M.C., Service Batt., Connaught Rgrs., to be Acting Capt. (additional).

R.A.M.C.—The undermentioned temporary 2nd Lt. to be temporary Lt.:—J. I. O'Donnell.

ESTABLISHMENTS.—Staff College—A.Q.M.G.'s, 1st March, 1919—Bt. Lt.-Col. the Hon. M. A. Wingfield, C.M.G., D.S.O., Rifle Brigade, and to relinquish the temp. rank of Brig.-Gen.

SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.—Reserve Units—3rd Ryl. Irish Rifles—Major H. R. Goodman, D.S.O., Ryl. Irish Rifles, to be temporary Lt.-Col. whilst Commanding the Bn.

REGULAR FORCES.—Commands and Staff—The undermentioned appointments are made:—D.A.A.G.—Lt. (temporary Capt.) A. R. Mulliner, M.C., 8th Hussars, and to be temp. Major whilst so employed.—Cl. HH.—The undermentioned relinquish their appointments:—Temp. 2nd Lt. W. S. Montgomerie, temp. Lt. J. J. M'Groarty. Dep. Asst. Provost-Marshals (Cl. FF.)—And to be temp. Capts whilst so employed:—Temp. Lt. J. P. Coghlan 1st Reserve Regt. of Cavalry. The undermentioned Lts. to be Acting Majors:—Lt. W. T. Blackwood, M.C., 8th Ryl. Scots, T.F., whilst employed as Commandant of a Reception Camp.

REGULAR FORCES.—Service Battalions—Ryl. Irish Regt.—Temp. Lt. C. G. Finney relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health caused by wounds, and retains the rank of Lt., and to take rank and precedence in the Corps and in the Army as if his appointment as temp. 2nd Lt. bore date the 1st day of December, 1918. Ryl. Munster Fusiliers—Temp. 2nd Lt. J. A. Manley to be temp. Lt., with precedence next below E. Gibbon. Ryl. Dublin Fus.—Temp. 2nd Lt. D. F. Warren to be temp. Lt. Garrison Battalions—Temp. 2nd Lt. J. Murphy, D.C.M. (Chinese Lab.), to be Acting Capt. while Commanding Chinese Lab. Co.

SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.—The undermentioned Cadet to be 2nd Lt.:—Irish Guards—Eric Clarence Puttock.

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COLD FEET IN THE HOUSE.

CAUSE OF MEMBERS' ILLS.

"As the House of Commons is at present ventilated," said Dr. Leonard Hill, of the Medical Research Committee, in a lecture in Burlington House, "the members have cold feet and hot heads, a condition which does not make for clear thinking. This results from the fact that the air is blown on their feet through a grid."

Dr. Hill exhibited a picture showing that while in the House of Commons the lining membrane of his nose swelled, and another picture of his normal and free-breathing nose when he left the House. If all members are similarly affected they are not in the best condition for determining matters of national importance, he said.—(*Daily Mail*).

TUITION FOR SOLDIERS.
Special Classes—Day, Evening, and Correspondence—now forming at McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, 51 Upper Sackville street, DUBLIN.—(Advt.)

COLOGNE TO-DAY.

FOOD CONDITIONS.

"The City of Cologne has just voted increases of salary for officials and public servants and increases of allowance for people out of work amounting in all to 13,000,000 marks a year," says Mr. G. G. Desmond in the *Daily News*. How the money is to be raised nobody seems to know. Former increases have largely been covered by increasing the cost of gas, electricity, water and tramway travel, thus further heightening the cost of living, and creating a further need for the increase of salaries. No one seems capable of proposing any sort of legislation that will tend to lower those prices. In fact, the provision of more money for the poorer consumers to spend will inevitably enable those who secretly sell food to charge higher prices, and they will not be slow to seize the opportunity.

The ration permitted by coupons is notoriously inadequate, being about half sufficient to maintain life; and not even the ration can always be bought at the lawful maximum prices. Those who are able to buy more must do so against the law, paying for it four or five or ten times the official value, an arrangement well described as one that enables those who have to get a far greater supply of food than those who have not.

Two instances will partially show the tendency of prices. Occasionally the British Army loses a horse by accident. If a horse has broken a leg or is otherwise incurably injured, a word brings several butchers together, and the animal is sold by auction and then shot. About two months ago 800 marks was a good price for an artillery horse; now, it is a poor animal that does not fetch 1,200 marks—or £60, according to German money values. When the butcher has arranged for his profit it is naturally not much of the meat that a man can buy even out of his increased out-of-work pay of six or seven marks a day.

One of the commonest crimes against property just now is the theft of animals that can be sold as food. Cows and horses are usually well-guarded; but scarcely a daily paper appears without some news of goats, rabbits, or hens having disappeared in the night. In a recent case, where a number of dead goats were seized in the possession of a dealer, a paper produced the evidence that at least a great number of them had been stolen, and pointed out that the goat was the poor man's cow, and that by their theft many children had probably been deprived of their milk and done to death. "If," the paper concluded, "from widows and small people their goats, rabbits, and hens are stolen, this is a sin that cries aloud to heaven. The receiver who deals in these things is the real blood-sucker. If he was stopped their theft would not pay." Others go further than this, and say that it is the rich man who buys meat beyond his ration at 8, 9, and 10 marks per lb., who is the worst offender, and that a real campaign against him would make food more plentiful by ration at reasonable prices.

The President of the Food Ministry has recently made a statement on the food question in Germany. The potato harvest is 24,000,000 centners short—that is to say, about one million tons; so that none can be used for bread, though oats and barley also have for the most part failed. Ten million pigs are missing, according to peace time estimate, and three million cattle. Those that remain are at once far smaller and less well fed than the cattle of former years, and very few of them can be spared if the milk shortage, already murderous to children, is to be checked from becoming still worse.

Now, what are the chief reasons, as seen by the Germans, for the special shortage this year over and above the growing shortages of four years of war? First, the retreat and withdrawal of the army, which had to abandon food at the front, live on this land as it came through, and take still more food away with it. Second, the early extravagance of the soldiers' councils. Third, a great deal of stealing from railways, warehouses, and other places. Fourth, the decreasing ability of town authorities to prevent secret trading between producer and consumer.

Then, as to the blockade, it is even stricter now than it was during the war. Not only has the *Entente* cut off producing areas of land from Germany in the west, and more noticeably in the east, but it has taken away from Germany certain fishing grounds which were open to her while the war was on. Nor must we lose sight of the fact that the harvest of 1918 was far inferior to that of 1917, and perhaps even worse than 1916, which put Germany on very short commons indeed during the following months of May, June, and July.

Profiteering is so general that few cases come into the papers. They report only such extra spicy cases as that of the magistrate who offered to the hotel-keepers some army pickled beef at ten marks per lb., and when they rejected it at the price on the ground that it had been at least a year in salt, forced it on them by declaring that those who did not buy should be struck off the list of licensed restaurateurs. This meat was, of course, sold for supplying customers not asked to produce their coupons.

They report also the case of Count von Spee, of Dusseldorf, who deceived the community as to the number of his cows, and as to the milk production of those that he admitted having, whereby he was able to sell a good deal of butter secretly at high prices (probably 30 marks per lb.). "Thus can a man act," says the *Rheinischer Zeitung*, "at a time when the need of food has risen to its highest; and statistics show how during the war 760,000 people died in Germany of starvation. Against such injury to the public weal all measures must be taken."

All the same, it is perfectly well known that thousands are acting in the same way as Count von Spee. The community takes half its sustenance from illegally purchased food whose price continually rises, and is continually caught up and speeded higher by increase of wage or out-of-work pay. If the money will not buy food, it will buy wine and amusement; the cinemas and wine shops are always full.

NEW STRAUSS OPERA.

THE SHADOWLESS WOMAN.

The special correspondent of the *Daily Mail*, writing from Berlin says:—

Richard Strauss's new opera, "The Woman Without a Shadow," will be performed for the first time in Vienna Opera House on October 1 and at Dresden on October 13. Strauss will not conduct at either performance.

The opera, instead of being confined to two or three scenes, will have a large number, and the whole staging and management will be under Max Reinhardt, of the Deutsches Theater. The libretto, by Hugo von Hoffmannsthal, tells the story of a woman, half divine, who could have no children because she had no shadow. She descends to earth and seeks to persuade some human women to surrender her shadow and with it her hope of children. A wife is almost brought to consent to the bargain, but at last breaks off negotiations because she realises that her husband's love is partly bound up with her motherhood. Finally God rewards the efforts of the woman without a shadow by relieving her of her half-divinity and giving her a shadow.

The orchestral work is described to me as "normal," neither as big as that of "Electra" nor as small as "Ariadne."

LEARNING IN EGYPT.

OLDEST UNIVERSITY.

Those students of El Azhar who were ringleaders of the Cairo riots belong to the oldest university in the world, unless we believe that King Alfred founded Oxford. It is also by far the cheapest. The Mosque of El Azhar supplies to all willing to learn the gratuitous instruction which our ancient universities were originally intended to give.

The classes are attended by more than 10,000 students from all parts of the Moslem world, not one of whom need pay a piastre for his education or maintenance. Their text-book is mainly the Koran, which is supposed to contain all human wisdom and knowledge. El Azhar was repaired and beautified by Tewfik, the Khedive, whose mysterious and sudden death was probably due to Anglophil proclivities.—*Daily Chronicle*.

INFLUENZA DUE TO LACK OF SUGAR.

A DOCTOR'S VIEW.

The continued prevalence of influenza is attributed by Dr. Robertson Dobie, M.D., F.R.C.S., of Crieff, Perthshire, to the scarcity of sugar, and he makes an appeal for the free issue of this commodity. In a letter to the Press he says:—

"From an intimate knowledge of the blood tissue of the human subject—its constituent parts—I am convinced that the phagocytes, or white blood corpuscles—our natural safeguards against disease and infection—are not only starving but dying for want of that essential caloric sugar. It is the one and only element of our food that keeps the blood and circulatory system in good tune for the part it has to play. "I hope this subject and expression of opinion will be brought before the House of Commons. Let me suggest, in all earnestness, the liberation of the thousands of tons of good sugar, encourage the refining industry, do not hold it up for the manufacture of jam and sweetmeats only, but give it to the people at a considerably reduced price *ad lib.*, and in two months I predict influenza and all its disastrous complications will be things of the past."—*Manchester Guardian*.

A Melbourne telegram, dated March 11, states that at a meeting of the Returned Soldiers and War Workers' Industrial Union, held at the Town Hall yesterday, a resolution was passed protesting against the "One Big Union" scheme and against Bolshevism. The meeting was very stormy. The supporters of the One Big Union idea constantly interrupted the speakers, and eventually stormed the platform. The disturbance was quelled by police, and the meeting broke up.

Fashionable Intelligence

The Duchess of Devonshire and some members of her family arrived yesterday at Lismore Castle. It is understood that the Duchess will remain at the Irish seat for a few weeks. It is her first visit since pre-war days.

The Earl of Leitrim has been staying in Dublin this week, as he is acting on the Water Power Resources of Ireland Committee.

The Earl and Countess of Desart have left London for Ireland.

The Countess of Dartrey has arrived in London from Dartrey, Monaghan.

The Countess of Granard will arrive in England next week from America.

Sir Edward and Lady Verner, who have been residing in England for some time, will return to Corke Abbey, Bray, next month.

Monsieur H. P. Armand and Madame Armand are now staying at the Royal Hibernian Hotel, prior to their leaving Ireland for France.

The marriage arranged between the Reverend G. Bernard Pim, R.N., eldest son of Canon Pim, Christ Church, Kingstown, and Helen Alice, only daughter of Colonel G. R. Jameson, 13 Eden Park, Kingstown, will, leave permitting, take place quietly in Christ Church, Kingstown, at 1.30 on Wednesday, March 26th.

The marriage arranged between Vere Douglas, third son of R. B. Heuston, of Ballykisteen, Tipperary, and Dorothy Helen, youngest daughter of the Very Rev. I. Coulter, D.D., Dean of Kilmore, and Mrs. Coulter, The Rectory, Dromahair, will take place quietly at the end of April.

The engagement is announced between Captain Thomas Stephen Bowen, M.A., only son of the late George E. Bowen, J.P., and Mrs. Bowen, formerly of Rumsey, Kidwelly, S. Wales, and Monica Rose, only daughter of the late William Strickland, J.P., and Mrs. Strickland, Cortlandt, Hailsham, Sussex.

The marriage arranged between John T. O'Reilly, son of Philip O'Reilly, J.P., "Marienthal," Merrion road, and Violet, elder daughter of the late Dr. O'Sullivan, Lower Gardiner street, and Mrs. O'Sullivan, 56 Pembroke road, Dublin, will take place towards the end of April.

A marriage has been arranged between Engineer-Commander Wm. A. Bury, D.S.O., Royal Navy, son of Mr. James A. Bury, J.P., Beechgrove, Kingstown, and Joan Buddle, eldest daughter of Captain and Mrs. F. Buddle Atkinson, of Gallow Hill, Northumberland.

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place on April 30th, between Frederick Morgan Mooney, elder son of the late Morgan Mooney, Esq., 118 Pembroke road, Dublin, and Caroline Mary, second daughter of Thomas Luke Plunkett, Esq. D.L., Portmarnock, Co. Dublin.

Doctor Claire McKenna has taken up her residence at 92 Upper George's street—Mount Clarence—Kingstown.

Miss Slyne has returned to 71 Grafton street from London.

New Black and White and Navy and White Suitings, in hairline stripes, cable stripes, and chevron stripes, are a feature at Switzer's Dress Material Department.

Alteration in Juvenile Department—Huge Reductions in consequence. Bargains in Frocks, Coats and Suits, and Oddments—At Holmes', George's street.

Amongst the visitors staying at the Grand Hotel, Malahide, during the week were the following:—Dr. John Sidney Colohan, Mr. Arnold Graves, Major Henry Toppin, Mrs. Henry Toppin, Mr. H. O. Mordaunt, Miss Dora Isobel Massy, Mr. C. H. Wilson, Mrs. Smith, Miss N. Smith, Mrs. R. Allman, Mrs. N. Murphy, Mr. W. H. M'Cowen, Mrs. W. H. M'Cowen, Mrs. James Barron, Mr. J. M'Cavanagh, Mr. J. Stewart Kennedy, Mr. Thomas Dickson, Miss Winifred Dickson, Mr. A. W. Simpson.

Arrivals at Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers, 21st March.—Judge Law Smith and Mrs. Smith, Sir Michael Lakin, Sir John Langman, Lady Winifred Lowry-Corry, Earl and Countess of Desart, Sir Joseph Glynn, Hon. Gertrude Massey, Colonel M'Clintock, Captain and Mrs. Dobbs, Lieut. W. Ledger, Lieut. H. M. Ross, Rev. D. V. O'Meara, Captain T. B. Tull, Lieut. W. and Miss Tyrrell, Captain D. O'Neill, Rev. P. C. Duncan, Lieut. A. C. S. Mansell, Captain Symond, General Harrison, Major Francis Skeet, C. A. O'Reilly, Arthur H. Treanor, R. W. Monypenny, M. Tyndall, C. T. Tyndall, W. Johnstone, W. F. Brewster, W. S. Hanna, G. Sheridan, P. O'Gorman, J. H. Hinchcliffe, C. R. P. Vandeleur, Miss Lakin, Miss M. M. Wheeler, Miss Leader, Mrs. H. Law, Miss Margaret Hodson, Mrs. O. Grattan Esmonde, Mrs. J. Gauge, Miss K. M. Bloomfield, Miss Armstrong.

Departures from Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers, 20th March.—Sir Chas. and Lady Barrington, Sir Joseph and Lady M'Grath, Hon. Mrs. Dalgety, Major Bayly, Major Marshall, Major O'Kelly, Colonel [illegible], Captain Considine, Captain Mungall, Captain Norman, Major Humphreys, Colonel Sutton, Captain Henderson, Major Troyer, Lieut. Maxwell, Brigadier-General Head, Lieut. T. T. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Orr, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Robinson, Andrew Beattie, D.L., G. F. Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rea, C. E. [illegible], Harry H. Weiner, Sister Johnstone, Mr. and Mrs. Singleton, Miss Gubbins, Mrs. C. A. T. Williams, Miss Dickson, Miss Grattan-Esmonde, Mrs. F. H. [illegible], Mrs. J. H. B. Gunning.

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A Lloyd's message from Valentia wireless station says—The fire got the better of the steamer Panlee. She was abandoned. The crew were saved.

THE AMERICAN MARKETS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, FRIDAY.

Stocks opened firm, with an extraordinary demand for Steels, which was stimulated by the reduced price schedules adopted by the Steel manufacturers. Gains were also registered elsewhere, and the market closed strong. Government Bonds irregular. Railroad Bonds easy. Money on call easier at 5 per cent. Sterling exchange weak and lower. Silver commercial bars unchanged.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, FRIDAY.

WHEAT—Spot nominal. CORN—Spot steady. COFFEE declined on selling by trade interests and liquidation, and closed easy. Spot steady. COTTON advanced on improved spot situation and covering, and declined on Wall street and Southern houses selling. The market again advanced on covering and heavier exports, and closed very steady. Spot quiet, 5 points lower. Receipts—Atlantic, 7,000; Gulf, 8,000; Pacific, 36,000. Exports—Britain and Continent, nil; Japan, 36,000. May (new), 24.65; July (new), 22.85. COTTON OIL dull. PETROLEUM—Refined steady. LARD—Cash market steady, 10 points lower. FLOUR firm. SUGAR steady. TALLOW firm. TIN nominal. IRON and COPPER steady.

CHICAGO, FRIDAY.

WHEAT—Spot quiet. No. 2 red winter spot and No. 2 hard winter spot nominal.

CORN opened easy, ⅛c. to 1½c. down, and went lower owing to an improvement in the weather for crop moving, favourable Argentine reports, and selling by cash houses; then rallied and moved up sharply later under smaller stocks and interior receipts, the strength of rye, higher cash markets, small offerings, and covering of short accounts. The market closed firm, 1⅛c. to 2⅛c. higher. March, 155; May, 145⅝; July, 137⅜; September, 131⅛.

OATS firm, 1c. to 2⅛c. higher. March, 66⅞; May, 66⅜; July, 66⅛.

PROVISIONS opened barely steady, and declined owing to a disappointing investment demand and sales to realise; then improved with grain and on a fair cash demand. Liquidation and local selling followed, but covering helped the market, which closed steady, with lard 5 points down to 5 points up, pork 20 to 15 points lower, and ribs unchanged to 2½ points cheaper. Lard—March, 29.05; May, 28.05; July, 27.55. Pork—May, 45.15; July, 42.25. Ribs—May, 25.15; July, 23.97½.

BACON nominal. HOGS steady, with light 15 to 10 points and heavy sorts 5 points higher.

	Short Rib Sides.	Drysalted Loose.	HOGS Light.	Heavy.
To-day	Nominal.	19.00	19.75	19.70 19.[illegible]

MEMORIAL TO LATE HOWTH PRIEST.

At a public meeting held in the Church of the Assumption, Howth—the Right Rev. Monsignor O'Donnell presiding—it was decided to perpetuate, in a manner to be decided upon by a committee, the memory of the Very Rev. James F. Colohan, who had been parish priest of that district for over eleven years, and whose death is generally regretted by the parishioners.

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SOME 1918 FIGURES.

ORDINARY BRANCH.
NEW POLICIES ISSUED 84,453 - ASSURING £13,846,213
Total Premiums Received - - - £6,770,839
Increase over 1917 - - - £1,275,654
Claims Paid - - - £1,802,043
Endowments Matured - - - £3,535,933

INDUSTRIAL BRANCH.
Premium Income - - - £10,715,566
Increase over 1917 - - - £1,104,462
Claims Paid, Endowments Matured, &c. - £5,091,746
Free Policies Granted 55,374
Total of Policies now in Force 22,256,570

WAR CLAIMS PAID SINCE AUGUST 1914
Navy - £325,151
Army £4,484,870
Civilian - £118,775
Total - £4,928,796

INFLUENZA CLAIMS NOV.-DEC., 1918 (Industrial Branch Only), £650,000.

National Insurance Benefits Paid Since January, 1913, over £8,500,000

Total Invested Funds Now Exceed £109,000,000

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Claims Paid in Dublin District Office during 1918 ... £35,952.

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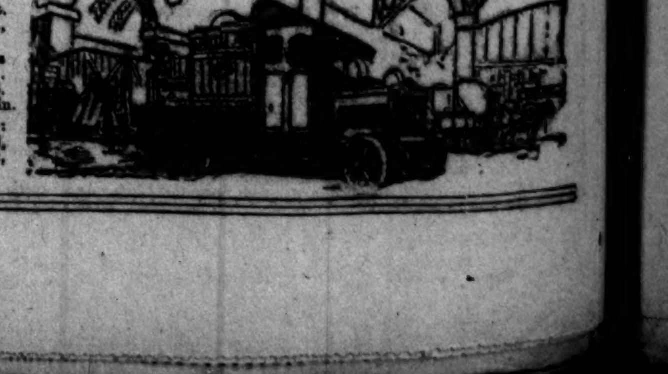

FINANCIAL NEWS

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

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Banks were irregular. Nationals rose 1/16 to 20, and Provincials ¼ to 25¼, while Bank Stock fell 1 to 224, and Royals ½ to 13. Hibernians remain steady at 6.

Dealing in Breweries was again confined to Guinness Ord., which met with influential support, and closed ½ higher at 35¼, after all offered at 35, 35⅛ had been absorbed.

In Steam, City of Dublin Stock repeated 120, and the Pref. remain sellers at 90, but were not dealt in. Dundalk realised 8½.

Marconis were steadier. The Ord. rose 3d. to 92s., and Canadians 1½d. to 14s. 3d., but Americans fell 3d. more to 29s. 9d. at the close.

Home Rail Ord. were mostly on offer, but did not quote. Great Northern Guaranteed was called sellers at 78 against 72, the previous marking. Belfast and Co. Down 4 p.c. Pref. rose ½ to 73, and Wicklow "B" Debs. were sellers at 64, or 2 over previous price.

Tramways were neglected.

Among Tyre and Cycle shares, Humber marked 19s., Parent Defd. closed 63s. 6d., 64s. 6d., a decline of 10½d., but the Ord. repeated 24s. 6d. Dunlop Rubber Ord. closed 3-32 better at 5 to 5⅛.

In Bakery shares, Bolands remain at 51s. 6d., and in Drapery, Arnott Debs. repeated 7½.

As regards Manufacturing shares, Coats rose 1/16 to 7⅞, but Goulding Pref. fell 1/16 to 4⅞, and Thwaites Ord. 6d. to 82s.

Trading, etc., were neglected, but Irish Packing marked 6s., Shells 8 and a shade less, and Steel Pref. 19s.

BANK OF IRELAND.
Discount .... 5 per cent., 5th April, 1917.
Deposit .... 2½ per cent., 5th April, 1917.

BUSINESS DONE:—
Consols ......(57⅞) 57 1/16
5½% War Ln.....(87⅞) 87⅞
5% War Loan......... 95
Do. Deed.......(96¼) 95
5% Irish Land(61½) 61½
India 3½%....(69½) 69½
5% War Bonds (1928) 99½
Bank Ireland...(225) 224
Hibernian Bank....(6) 6
National Bk...(19⅞) 20
Provincial Bank...... 25¼
Royal Bank.....(13½) 13
Guinness..(34⅜) 35-5⅛
City Dub. Stm..(120) 120
Do. Pref. 90a
Dundalk Stm....(8½) 8½
Marconi......(91/9) 92/-
Do. America *29/10½ 29/9
Do. Canada *14/3
Co. Down Pref. 73
G.N. Pref. ......(76) 76
G.S.W. Deb. ......(80) *80
Humber Ord. 19/-
Parent Ord..(24/6) 24/6
Do. Def. 64/9a
Do. Pref. ......(16½) *16/
Bolands...(51/6) 51/6
Arnotts Deb. *7½
Coats 7⅞
Goulding Pref. [illegible]
Thwaites ...(82/6) 82/
Dublin Granaries...90/-a
Irish Packing 6/-
Shell Transport...8 *7⅞
United Steel Pref...19/-
*Odd lot.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

Bank Rate (changed April 5th, 1917) ...... 5 p.c.

There was a fairly keen demand for money yesterday, continued heavy revenue payments and a sense of caution, bred of the disturbance to the New York exchange following the withdrawal of the Treasury's pegging measures, rendering general conditions very firm and cautious. Day-to-day loans were quoted at 3 to 3½ per cent., with the accent upon the higher figure at times. Weekly loans were arranged at 3½ per cent. There was little doing in the Discount market, bills being exceedingly reserved owing to reports that Treasury bill rates might be advanced to influence the international value of sterling. Bank drafts of all dates were posted at 3⅝ to 3¾ per cent. Short Treasury bills were quoted at 3 7/16 to 3½ per cent.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed April 5, 1917 ......5%
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Spot silver remained at 47½d. per oz.

The following foreign exchange rates were current:—New York cables, 4.60 to 4.62; Paris, 26.98 to 27.25; Amsterdam, 11.70 to 11.73; Lagos, 30.75 to 30.87½; Madrid, 23.24 to 23.37; Christiania, 18.07 to 18.15; Stockholm, 17.36 to 17.29; Berne, 23.32 to 23.36; Rio, 90-day bills, 13⅝d.; Buenos Ayres transfers, 51½d. to 51⅝d.

LONDON STOCKS CHEERFUL

The Stock Exchange was in cheerful trim, influenced by increased hopes of a general settlement of the big labour questions outstanding. The House closed expectantly, but the general atmosphere of markets did not lose its caution, and while quotations were marked substantially forward in several departments, both dealers and the public maintained their waiting attitude. The Gilt-edged Market was irregular but [illegible] cheerfulness. The 4½ per cent. Loan did not vary, but the 5½ per cent. Loan, at 87⅞, was ⅛ up. Miscellaneous Gilt-edged Securities met quiet support, and quotations recorded a few narrow gains. There was again some inquiry for Colonial and Indian issues, and Exchequer Bonds were firm.

Changes:—Rises—3½ p.c. War Loan, ⅛ to 87⅞; 5 p.c. War Loan, 1/16 to 94⅞. Fall—Consols, ⅛ to 57⅞.

FOREIGN BONDS IRREGULAR.—In the Foreign Market general conditions were rather irregular. The fall in French Loans persisted, the Fives losing another ⅛ at 83. The Fours closed around 67. As regards other Allied Bonds, Japanese issues were bought, and the 4½ per cents. improved 1 to 97½. Chinese Bonds were in favour, though quotable changes were not numerous. Russians ruled weak and nominal. Among South Americans, Brazilians were dull, but Argentine quotations occasionally had the turn. Argentine Bonds were quiet, and Peruvians remained a narrow and checkered market.

Changes:—Rises—Brazil, 1 to 65; German Threes, 3 to 39½; Japan 4 p.c., 1 to 97½. Falls—French Loan, ⅛ to 83; Italian Rentes, ½ to 66½.

HOME RAILS ADVANCE.—In the Home Railway Market there was another substantial improvement in the close being at the best. Many of the Heavies were up ½ to 1 in the belief that railway workers would accept the Government's new terms. Their rejection was not known during market hours. Great Westerns were 1 to the good. In the Passenger section the forward tendency was also apparent. There was little doing in the Scotch group.

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS IRREGULAR.—Canadian Pacifics were steady. There was a further advance in Grand Trunk Senior Prefs. on the news of the resolution to the effect that the Canadian Government's terms were inadequate, but urging the Board to endeavour to arrive at a friendly settlement. The Guaranteed Fours were finally easier. Mexican Rails were on the dull side, and the First Preference was finally ¼ down. Argentine Rails had a firm undertone, despite occasional irregularity, and quotations marked a few net gains of ¼ to ½ on the session.

Changes:—Rises—Grand Trunk 1st Pref., 1 to 64½; do. 2nd Pref., 2 to 40½; B.A. Gt. Southern, ½ to 88½. Falls—Grand Trunk Guar., ¼ to 68; Antofagasta Def., 1 to 120; Entre Rios Ord., 1 to 39½.

INDUSTRIALS CHEERFUL.—In the Miscellaneous and Industrial Market conditions were quietly cheerful, though there was not much movement to record. Brazilian Tractions were good, rising 1½. The Iron and Steel group showed many marked changes, and Coltness and Dorman fell 1 to 15½. Breweries ruled fairly firm. Guinness Ordinary, at 350, gained 10. There was also buying among Catering and Supply Shares. Liptons picked up to 29/6. [illegible] Aerated were easier [illegible] Associated Ordinary and Portland, 37/6, and British Portland [illegible]. Cunards were [illegible]

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DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

There was a quiet week-end market on 'Change yesterday, but an outstanding feature was the keen bidding for Guinness Ord. shares, which improved and closed in strong request. Bank of Ireland Stock and Royals were weaker, but Provincials and Nationals were higher. Steam securities were firm. Marconis were a trifle higher. Dunlop Rubber Ord. were firmer, and closed 5 to 5 1/16 unofficially, but Parent Tyre Ord. and Defd. were on sale with the unofficial price of the latter about 64s.

Banks were irregular. Nationals rose 1/16 to 20, and Provincials ½ to 25⅝, while Bank Stock fell 1 to 224, and Royals ½ to 13. Hibernians remain steady at 6.

Dealing in Breweries was again confined to Guinness Ord., which met with influential support, and closed ⅝ higher at 35½, after all offered at 35, 35 1/16 had been absorbed.

In Steam, City of Dublin Stock repeated 120, and the Pref. remain sellers at 90, but were not dealt in. Dundalk realised 8½.

Marconis were steadier. The Ord. rose 3d. to 92s., and Canadians 1½d. to 14s. 3d., but Americans fell 3d. more to 29s. 9d. at the close.

Home Rail Ord. were mostly on offer, but did not quote. Great Northern Guaranteed was called sellers at 78 against 79, the previous marking. Belfast and Co. Down 4 p.c. Pref. rose ½ to 73, and Wicklow "B" Debs. were sellers at 64, or 2 over previous price.

Tramways were neglected.

Among Tyre and Cycle shares, Humber marked 19s., Parent Defd. closed 63s. 6d., 64s. 6d. a decline of 10½d., but the Ord. repeated 24s. 6d. Dunlop Rubber Ord. closed 3-32 better at 5 to 5 1/16.

In Bakery shares, Bolands remain at 51s. 6d., and in Drapery, Arnott Debs. repeated 7½.

As regards Manufacturing shares, Coats rose 1/16 to 7 7/16, but Goulding Pref. fell 1/16 to 4⅝, and Thwaites Ord. 6d. to 82s.

Trading, etc., were neglected, but Irish Packing marked 6s. Shells 8 and a shade less, and Steel Pref. 19s.

BANK OF IRELAND.

Discount .... 5 per cent., 5th April, 1917.
Deposit .... 2½ per cent., 5th April, 1917.

BUSINESS DONE:—

Consols ......(57¾) 57 7/16
3½% War Ln..(87⅛) 87½
5% War Loan.........95
Do. Deed......(95½) 95
5% Irish Land.(61½) 61½
India 3½% ....(69½) 69½
5% War Bonds (1928) 99 11/16
Bank Ireland..(225) 224
Hibernian Bank....(6) 6
National Bk...(19 13/16) 20
Provincial Bank......25⅝
Royal Bank....(13½) 13
Guinness..(34⅞) 35-5 1/16-½
City Dub. Stm.(120) 120
Do. Pref. 90a
Dundalk Stm...(8½) 8½
Marconi.......(91/9) 92/-
Do. America *29/10½ 29/9

Do. Canada *14/3
Co. Down Pref. 73
G.N. Pref.........(76) 76
G.S.W. Deb....(80) *80
Humber Ord. 19/-
Parent Ord..(24/6) 24/6
Do. Def. 64/9a
Do. Pref....(16/-) *16/-
Bolands......(51/6) 51/6
Arnott Deb...........*7½
Coats ....(7⅜) 7 7/16
Goulding Pref. (98/9) 97/6
Thwaites .....(82/6) 82/-
Dublin Granaries..90/-a
Irish Packing 6/-
Shell Transport...8 *7⅞
United Steel Pref.....19/-

*Odd lot.

(Last business done given in parentheses.)

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

Bank Rate (changed April 5th, 1917) ...... 5 p.c.

There was a fairly keen demand for money yesterday, continued heavy revenue payments and a sense of caution, bred of the disturbance to the New York exchange following the withdrawal of the Treasury's pegging measures, rendering general conditions very firm and cautious. Day-to-day loans were quoted at 3 to 3½ per cent., with the accent upon the higher figure at times. Weekly loans were arranged at 3½ per cent. There was little doing in the Discount market, takers being exceedingly reserved owing to reports that Treasury bill rates might be advanced to influence the international value of sterling. Bank drafts of all dates were posted at 3½ to 3 9/16 per cent. Short Treasury bills were quoted at 3 7/16 to 3½ per cent.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed April 5, 1917 ....5 %
60 days (fine) .... 3½ 3 9/16 % | Trade ...... 4¼ %
3 months ,, ... 3½ 3 9/16 % | ,, ... 4½ %
4 months ,, ... 3½ 3 9/16 % | ,, ... 4½ %
6 months ,, ... 3½ 3 9/16 %
Loans to bill brokers day to day .... 3 3½ %
do. do. for a week .... 3½ %
Deposit allowance: Banks at notice .... 3 %
do. Discount houses at call .... 3 %

Spot silver remained at 47¼d. per oz. The following foreign exchange rates were current:—New York cables, 4.50 to 4.62; Paris, 26.98 to 27.25; Amsterdam, 11.70 to 11.73; Italy, 30.75 to 30.87½; Madrid, 23.24 to 23.27; Christiania, 18.07 to 18.15; Stockholm, 17.26 to 17.29; Berne, 23.32 to 23.35; Rio, 90-day bills, 13 9/16d.; Buenos Ayres transfers, 51½d. to 51⅞d.

LONDON STOCKS CHEERFUL

The Stock Exchange was in cheerful trim, influenced by increased hopes of a general settlement of the big labour questions outstanding. The House closed expectantly, but the general atmosphere of markets did not lose its caution, and while quotations were marked substantially forward in several departments, both dealers and the public maintained their waiting attitude. The Gilt-edged Market was irregular but closed with some cheerfulness. The 4½ per cent. Loan did not vary, but the 3½ per cent. Loan, at 87½, was ⅛ up. Miscellaneous Gilt-edged Securities met quiet support, and quotations recorded a few narrow gains. There was again some inquiry for Colonial and Indian issues, and Exchequer Bonds were firm.

Changes:—Rises—3½ p.c. War Loan, ⅛ to 87½; 5 p.c. War Loan, 1/16 to 94 9/16. Fall—Consols, ⅛ to 57⅜.

FOREIGN BONDS IRREGULAR.—In the Foreign Market general conditions were rather irregular. The fall in French Loans persisted, the Fives losing another ½ at 83. The Fours closed around 67. As regards other Allied Bonds, Japanese issues were bought, and the 4½ per cents. improved 1 to 97½. Chinese Bonds were in favour, though quotable changes were not numerous. Russians rule weak and nominal. Among South Americans, Brazilians were hardly so good, and quotations occasionally lost the turn. Argentine Bonds were quiet, and Peruvians remained a narrow and checkered market.

Changes:—Rises—Brazil, 1 to 65; German Threes, ½ to 39½; Japan 4 p.c., 1 to 97½. Falls—French Loan, ½ to 83; Italian Rentes, ½ to 66½.

HOME RAILS ADVANCE.—In the Home Railway Market there was another substantial improvement the close being at the best of the day. Many of the Heavies were put forward ½ to 1 in the belief that railway workers would accept the Government's new terms. Their rejection was not known during market hours. Great Westerns were 1½ to the good. In the Passenger section the forward tendency was also apparent. There was little doing in the Scotch group.

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS IRREGULAR.—Canadian Pacifics were steady. There was a further advance in Grand Trunk Senior Prefs. on the news of the resolution to the effect that the Canadian Government's terms were inadequate, but urging the Board to endeavour to arrive at a friendly settlement. The Guaranteed Fours were finally easier. Mexican Rails were on the dull side, and the First Preference was finally ½ down. Argentine Rails had a firm undertone, despite occasional irregularity, and quotations marked a few net gains of ¼ to ½ on the session.

Changes:—Rises—Grand Trunk 1st Pref., 1 to 64½; do. 2nd Pref., 2 to 40½; B.A. Gt. Southern, ½ to 68½. Falls—Grand Trunk Guar., ½ to 51; Antofagasta Def., 1 to 128½; Entre Rios Ord., 1 to 39.

INDUSTRIALS CHEERFUL.—In the Miscellaneous and Industrial Market conditions were quietly cheerful, though there was not much movement to record. Brazilian Tractions were good, rising 1½. The Iron and Steel group showed many mixed changes, averaging 1/16. Pease and Partners fell ¼ to 15½. Breweries ruled fairly firm. Guinness Ordinary, at 350, gained 10. There was not much doing among Catering and Supply Shares. Liptons picked up to 29/6. Lyons held around 5 1/16. Aerateds were unaltered at 3½. Cements were in demand. Associated Ordinary and Preference each rose ½, while British Portland, at 27/6, was 6d. better. Cunards met realising in the Shipping group, falling ½ to 5, the proposed bonus proposal creating no marked enthusiasm.

Changes:—Rises—Bank of Australasia, 1½ to 133; Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank, 1 to 102; Asso. Cement, ½ to 6⅞; do. Pref., ½ to 8½; British Portland, 6d. to 27/6; Lipton, 6d. to 29/6; Vickers, 1/16 to 1 13/16; Guinness, 10 to 350; Brazilian Tractions, 1½ to 55½. Falls—Anglo-South American Bank, ½ to 9½; British Bank of South America, ½ to 20½; London and Brazilian Bank, ½ to 29½; London City and Midland, ½ to 7; Marconi America, 6d. to 29/6; Brunner Mond, 1/16 to 2 1/16; Cunard, ½ to 5; Pease and Partners, ½ to 15½; Weardale c.p.o., 1/16 to 1 1/16.

MINING MARKET STEADY.—There was not much sustained animation in the Mining market, but the general tone was steady. Kaffirs seesawed, but marked some scattered net gains, leading Finance shares and the Far Eastern group showing chiefly to advantage. Rhodesians were spotty, but Chartereds left off higher, and there were a few other improvements. Diamonds did not retain much of a forenoon rise. There was some further improvement among Russian shares. Tintos remained flat on the overnight dividend. Base metal shares, as a whole, were fairly hard. Copper rose £1 and tin 30/- per ton. Colombian Mining was strong.

RUBBER SHARES GOOD.—The price of rubber was better at 2/0½ per lb. Broadly speaking, there was not much business done in the Share market, except in the case of half a dozen shares which showed distinct activity. The general tendency, however, was good, and a lot of quotations were higher on the day. Rubber Trust were 6d. better, with buyers at 31/-, and the Option Certificates changed hands around 8/-. Holders of these certificates should not overlook the fact that they expire on the 31st inst. Anglo-Dutch were firm at 40/6, and Java United were very active, finishing 9d. higher with buyers at 29/-. Rises were shown by Baru Java at 41/- bid, Java Investment 36/3, Panawattee 52/- buyers, and Pegoh 62/6. On the other hand, Prye were lower at 31/9, as were Sungei Krian Pref at 57/6. Towards the close of business a demand sprang up for some of the Floriners. British Rubber Estates of Java were wanted at 4/1½, Kawie Java were 7/10, Merlimau 6/9½, Malang 4/6½ bid, and Tillyfour 2/7½ bid. Amongst Borneo shares there were transactions in Bangawan at 30/3, Bode 2/8, and Kapoewas 24/4½. Lok Kawi were lower at 23/3.

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HOME RAILS.

Brighton A... 58½-9½
Cal'dm.Df. Or....11⅜-¾ + ⅛
Cent.Lon. Df. 37-42
Chat'm Or...... 11¾-12 + ½
Gt.Cent'l Df....... 8½-9
Gt. Eastern......33⅜-¾ + ⅛
Gt. N. Pref......... 88-9
do. Def. ...... 37¼-¾ + ⅛
Gt. Western.....87½-8¼ + 1½
Hull&Barns'y49½-50½
Lancs.&Yks ....63½-4½ + ⅛
L. & N-W....... 92½-3½ + 1
do. 4% Pf. 93-6
L. & S-W. .... 81-3 + 1
do. Def. ....27-8 + 1

L.&S.W new5% Pf.96-8
Metropolitan. 26½-7½ + ⅜
do. 5p.c. Pf. 76-8
do. District....24¾-5½
Midland Def.. 56½-7½ + ⅜
N. Brit. Def......16¾-17 + ⅜
N.East Con.....94½-5½ + ⅜
do. 4% Pf. 93-6
Sth.Est. Df.......36¼-¾ + ¼
do. 5 Pref.........80-82
Taff Vale .... 54½-5½ − ½
Und. Elec. 3¼-¾
do. In. Bds..... 94½-6½
do. 6 p.c. Debs...101-104

MINING SHARES.

Amal. Zinc ..... 1 9/16 − 1/16
Arizona ...... 1 11/16 − 1/16
Bk. Hill Props. 47/9 + 3d
Brakpan .... 3⅝ + ⅛
Cinderella ...... 5/3 − 1/-
City .... 2 7/16 + 1/16
Crown Mines .... 2¼ + 1/16
Central Mining.. 7 1/16 + ⅛
Con. M. Selec...28/6 + 3d
Con. Main Rf...14/6 + 3d
Chartered .....21/4½ + 3d
Colombian Min..... 2½ + ¼
Daggafontein ..29/- + 6d
Dolcoath ....7/6 − 6d
Esperanza .....15/6 + 6d
Gopeng Consd... 2½ + 1/16
Geduld .... 2 11/16 + 1/16
Gvt. Min. Area... 4 11/16 + ¼
Hendersons .....6/- − 1½d
Hampden ....20/6 − 3d
Johans. Invest...26/3 + 3d
Jupiter ....5/6 + 6d

Knight's Deep....7/9 + 3d
Kwali ....11/3 + 3d
Kyshtim .... 1 11/16 + 1/16
London-Dublin .. 2⅛ − 1/16
Modder "B"..... 7 11/16 + 1/16
Min. C. Canada 13/9 − 3d
Nundydroog ....22/3 − 3d
Namaqua .... 1⅛ − 1/16
Paris Trans. ......4/6 + 1½d
Rand Selection..... 4⅜ + ⅛
Russo-Asiatic ... 3 11/16 + 1/16
Rio Tinto .... 57 − 1
Simmer & Jack...4/3 + 3d
Springs Mines.... 3 1/16 + ⅛
Shamva .... 1 13/16 + 1/16
Santa Gertrudis..22/- − 6d
Sulphide ....24/9 + 3d
Do. Pref. .....35/9 + 3d
Siberian Props........ ⅝ − 1/16
Trans. Dev. ......10/6 − 3d
Van Ryn .... 3 5/16 + 1/16
Waihi .... 2 − 1/16

RUBBER SHARES.

Allagar ....3/2 − 2d
Anglo-Dutch ...40/6 + 1½d
Anglo-Java .....7/1½ + 2d
Bah Lias ....41/6 + 6d
Bukit Mertajam..5/1 + 2d
B. Sembawang....3/3 − 2d
Chersonese .....3/6 − 1½d
Cheviot ....6/8 + 2d
Hayoep ....22/- + 4½d

Johore Rubber..34/6 + 9d
Malayalam .....41/6 − 3d
Rubber Trust...31/- + 5½d
Sialang ....84/8½ + 3½d
Taiping ....4/1 + 1½d
Tandjong ....99/7½ − 1/7½
Un. Serdang...12/3 + 1½d
Un. S. Betong 77/6 − 7½d

OIL SHARES DULL.

Oil Shares, after a firmer start, developed dulness towards the close, due to week-end realisations and falling off of support, movements in prices on balance being finally mostly downward. Closing prices:—

	Yesterday.	To-day.	+ or −
Anglo-Maikop	6/0	6/0	
Anglo-Egyptian "B"	88/1½	88/4½	+3d
Anglo-Persian	1⅝	1⅝	
Assam	1½	1½	
Baku	4/3	4/3	
British Burma	17/10½	17/9	−1½d
Burmah	8⅜	8⅜	
Bibi Eibat (10/-)	3/0	3/0	
Cheleken	10/9	10/9	
Kern River	17/6	17/6	
Lobitos	58/0	58/6	+6d
Mexican Eagle Com.	111/6	110/6	−1/0
Mexican Eagle Pref.	108/6	108/6	
North Caucasian (10/-)	23/6	23/6	
New Caucasian (10/-)	5/4½	5/4½	
Roumanian Consol.	17/0	17/9	+9d
Schibaieff	5/10½	5/10½	
Spies (10/-)	11/6	11/6	
Shell Transport	7⅞	7⅞	
Suez Oil	6/3	6/3	
Tampico Panuco Pf.-Ord.	7/3	7/3	
Traian Roum. Oil	12/7½	12/7½	
Trinidad Dominion	5/4½	5/4½	
Trinidad Leaseholds	50/6	50/0	−6d
Trinidad Oilfields	12/9	12/9	
Ural Caspian	33/9	32/6	−1/3
Venezuelan Conces.	72/3	73/6	+1/3

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—57⅜, ⅜, 7/16, 7/16, ½, ⅜, 7/16, 7/16, ½, 7/16. **3½ p.c. War Loan**—87⅛, ⅜, ¼, ⅜, ½. **4½ p.c. War Loan**—99⅜, ½. **5 p.c. War Loan**—94½, 5 1/16, 5, 4½, 15/16, 13/16, 5 1/16, 5, 4 15/16. **4 p.c. War Loan**—100 1/16, ⅛, 1/16, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 1/16, ⅛. **India 3½ p.c.**—69½, ⅝, 11/16, ⅝. **Aerated Bread**—74/4½. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—40/6, 40/-, 1½d., 7½d., 9d., 3d., 6d. **Armstrong**—*38/-, 7/3, 9d. **Assoc. Cement**—6⅜, ½, 11/16, £6 8/3, 6 11/16, ½. **Baldwin's (15/- paid)**—32/3, 6d., 1/3, 3/-. **Bisichi Tin**—13/-. **Bovril Def.**—13/9, 14/-, 13/6. **Brit. Amer. Tobacco**—6 5/32, £6 4/9, 6¼, 5/32, 3/16, £6 5/6. **Brit. Argentine Meat**—26/3. **Brit. Oil and Cake**—32/9, 6d., 2/-, 7½d., *1/6, 2/3. **British Westinghouse**—50/6. **Broken Hill Prop.**—48/-, 7/6, 10½d., *4½d., 8/-, 7/9, 6d., 8/-. **Brunner Mond**—40/6, 9d., 1/6, 3d., 40/9, 1/-. **Buenos Ayres Western Ord.**—68½, 9½, 9. **Burmah Corp.**—5 1/16, ⅛, 3/32, 1/16, £5 10/6, 5 11/32, ¼. **Burmah Oil**—8 11/16, ⅝, 21/32, ¾. **Bwana M'Kubwa**—*6/6, 11½d. **Camp Bird**—18/10½, 7½d., 9d., 4½d., 6d., 1½d., 10½d., 7½. **Canadian Pacific**—176½, 6, ½, 5½, 6, 4, 6½. **Cargo Fleet**—25/3, 4/6. **Central Argentine Ord.**—58½, ¼, 9½, 8½, ½, ⅞. **Chartered**—21/-, *3d., *1½d., 7½d., 6d., 3d., 4½d. **City Deep**—51/3, 50/6, 1/6½, 10½d., *3d., 59/-, 1/3, 10½d., 50/7½. **Coats**—7 7/16, ⅜, 7/16. **Colombian Mining**—56/7½, 6d., 3d., 5/10½, 5/-, 6d., 6/3, 7/3, 7/-, 6d., 6/9. **County Bank**—£17 8/6, 17 7/16, ⅜, ¼, ½. **Courtaulds**—7 11/16, 21/32, 23/32, ¾, 11/16. **Crown Mines**—42/6, 1/3. **Cunard Ord.**—101/3, 98/9, 7/6, 101/3, 100/-, 95/-, 6/3, 7/6, 8/9. **Dunlop Ord.** (x.d.)—100/-, 99/3, 9d., 100/-, 99/6. **Eastern Pioneer**—11/-. **Eastpool and Agar**—25/3. **East Rand Prop.**—*4/7½, 5/-, 4/10½, 9d., *7½d., *9d. **Eastern Sum. Rubber**—2/11. **Ediswan**—19/-, 18/10½. **Govt. Areas**—92/6, 3/9, 1½d., 1/10½, 4/0½, 4½d., 5/-. **Grand Trunk Ord.**—9½, 3/32, ⅛, ½, ⅛. **Hudson's Consol.**—30/7½, 30/-, 4½d. **Johannes. Consol.**—*25/9, 6/1½, 4½d., 5/10½. **Kern River Oil**—17/9, 6d., 3d., 4½d., 6d. **Kyshtim**—32/9, 4/4½, 3/9. **Linggi Rubber**—27/-, 6d., 2½d., 3d., 7/-. **Lipton Ord.**—*28/3, 9/6, 3d., *8/-, 9/1½, *8/10½, 9d. **London Brighton Def.**—59½, 9, 8½, ½, 9⅝, ½. **London Chatham**—12, 1/16, 11½, 15/16, ⅞, ¾. **London Dublin**—57/6, 8/1½. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—5 5/32, 11/32, ⅜, 11/32, ⅜. **Magadi Soda Ord.**—22/-, 1/10½, 6d., 2/-, 3d., 1/7½, 2/-, 3d., 1/9½. **Marconi Ord.**—91/10½, 2/1½, *90/9; **do. Marine**—77/6, 3d., 6/10½, 3½d., 10½d.; **do. America**—30/-, 29/3, 9d., 10½d., 6d., 3d.; **do. Canada**—14/9, 7½d., 6d., 4½d., 3d. **Maypole Def.**—*20/6, 10½d., 7½d., 1/1½, 20/9, 1/-, 1½d. **Mexican Eagle**—5 11/16, £5 10/9, 12/9, 11/9, 12/3, 5 9/16, 9/16. **Midland Bank**—7 11/16, 11/16. **Midland Railway Def.**—56½, 7, ½, 6⅞, ½, 7, ½, 6⅞. **National Steam Car**—16/9, 10½d., 4½d. **Nat. Prov. Bank (£10½)**—26½, ⅜, 6; **do. (£12)**—31⅛, ½, ⅛, ¼. **Niger Land**—54/6, 3/6, 9d., 4/9. **Oriental Telephone Ord.**—47/6, 8/6, 9/-. **Orok Goldfields**—4½d., 3d., 5½d., 5d., 5½d., 5d. **Pahang Consol.**—14/10½, 9d. **Parent Ord.**—24/1½. **Pyrotan Leather**—72/6, 3/1½. **Rand Mines**—58/9, 7/6, 9/9, 8/1½. **Rubber Trust**—31/1½, 30/10½, 6d., 1/-, 1½d., 30/10½, 9d., 1/1½, 3d. **Russo-Asiatic**—74/0½, 4½d., 3/9. **Shell**—8, 3/32, 1/16, 7 15/16, £7 19/9, 8, *£8 0/4½. **Smithfield and Argentine**—32/9, 6d., 3d. **South Crofty**—36/10½, 6/-, 6d. **Spassky**—32/6. **Springs**—65/7½, 6/3, 10½d., 7/6, 5/7½, 8/1½. **Tanganyika**—91/3. **Traian Oil**—12/7½, 13/1½, 12/10½, 13/1½. **Union Corp.**—15/7½, *7½d., 16/-. **United Steel**—23/6, 4/6, 3d., 4/-. **Vickers**—39/-, 8/9, 9/1½, 8/6, 9/3, 4½d., *8/-, 9/-, 6d. **Victoria Falls Ord.**—21/1½. **White Tomkins Ord.**—29/-, 9d., 8/3. **Zambesi Exploring**—31/7½, 10½d., 3/1½. **Zinc Corp.**—25/-, 4/10½, 9d., 7½d.

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DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

J. G. MOONEY AND CO.—The directors report that the profit for the year 1918 amounted to £8,692 18/6, which, added to the balance of £4,888 18/2 brought from last year, and providing for all expenses, including directors' and trustees' fees, licence duties, income tax, and excess profits duty, amounts to £13,581 16/8; interest on Debenture Stock, £1,154 5/-. The directors propose to allocate the balance as follows:—In payments of dividend for one year to 31st December, 1918, less income tax, on Pref. Shares at 6 per cent. per annum and on Ord. Shares at 10 per cent. per annum, £3,847 10/-; reserve fund (making same £25,000), £3,000; carry forward to next account, £5,580 1/8. Mr. Dermot J. Mooney retires from the Board by rotation, and, being eligible, offers himself for re-election. The auditors, Messrs. Kean and Company, also retire, and offer themselves for re-election.

ASSOCIATION FOR THE HOUSING OF THE VERY POOR.—The report for the year ended 31st December, 1918, states that the gross receipts from rents, etc. (including John street property) amounted to £1,388 11/11; the outgoings, including rents payable, insurances, taxes, caretakers' wages, printing, Board of Works and Debenture interest, etc., amounted to £1,130 14/5; leaving a net profit for the year of £257 17/6, to which has to be added the balance carried forward from last account (£357 13/-), making a total of £615 10/6, which the directors recommend should be applied as follows:—Place to credit of loan redemption fund to provide for repayment to Board of Works, £100; to pay a dividend at the rate of 2 per cent., free of income tax, for the year to 31st December, 1918, £254 12/-; balance to next year's account, £260 18/6. The property has been well maintained during the year. Two of the directors (Messrs. Wm. Ireland, J.P., and E. R. McC. Dix) retire by rotation, and are eligible for re-election. The auditors, Messrs. Craig, Gardner, and Co., also retire, but offer themselves for re-election. Meeting at 41 Dame street, March 26, 1 p.m.

SLAZENGERS.—Dividend of 10 per cent., less tax, on Ord., and bonus of 1/- per share.

THOMAS TILLING.—Dividend of 15 per cent., less tax, on the Ord. for the year 1918.

SPEEDIE BROTHERS.—A further dividend of 5 per cent., making 7½ per cent. for year, compared with 7 per cent. for 1916-17.

CALGARY AND EDMONTON LAND.—Interim dividend for 1919 of 9d. per share, less income tax, payable 3rd April to holders registered 20th instant.

GOPENG CONSOLIDATED.—Dividend of 9d. per share on account of the current year, together with a bonus of 1/- per share on account of year ended 30th September last.

HADFIELDS.—Further dividend of 20 per cent., together with a bonus of 5 per cent., making a total distribution of 30 per cent., free of tax, for 1918.

PHŒNIX ASSURANCE.—The directors have decided to discontinue paying interim dividends in November out of current profit, and to provide the dividends paid in each calendar year out of the profits of the preceding year. With this object they recommend that a dividend of 11/- per share, subject to income tax, be now declared, payable as to 5/6 on 1st May and as to 5/6 on 1st November.

BIRMINGHAM SMALL ARMS.—This company has declared the following interim dividends for the half-year ending January 31st:—On the "A" Pref. Shares, at the rate of 5 per cent., less income tax; on the "B" Pref. Shares, at the rate of 6 per cent., less tax; on the Ord. Shares, 2½ per cent., free of tax. The ordinary capital of the company having recently been doubled, the interim dividend on the Ord. Shares is equivalent to the interim dividend of 5 per cent. paid last year.

INSURANCE SHARES.

SALES IN LONDON:—Alliance New, 12; Atlas, 12 9/16, 13, 12⅞, ⅜, 13, £12 15/9; British General, 46/3, 10½d.; Commercial Union, 47/-, 6d., 6/9, 7/-, 3d., 9d.; General Accident, 85/-, 7/6, 6/3, 10½d., 8/1½; Law Union and Rock, 9 7/16, 7/16; Phœnix, 11 7/16; Royal, 41½, ¾; Sun, 14 7/16, ½, 7/16, £14 8/3.

SALES IN LIVERPOOL:—Atlas, 12½; Commercial Union, 52½; Employers' Liability, 42½; General Accident, 4¼, 7/16*, 3/6; Law Union, 9½*; London, 9 7/16, 7/16; Phœnix, 11½ 224/6; Sun, 14½; World Marine, 9 7/16.

Stocks marked thus (*) are for less than £1,000 of stock or less than a marketable number of shares.

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REFUGE ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Chief Office: OXFORD STREET, MANCHESTER.

EXTRACT FROM THE ANNUAL REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1918.

ORDINARY BRANCH.—The number of Policies issued during the year was 38,322, assuring the sum of £3,663,588 6s. 8d., and producing a yearly renewal Premium Income of £265,030 18s. 5d. The single Premiums amounted to £39,274 10s. 2d. The Premium Income for the year was £1,563,322 7s. 4d., being an increase of £153,962 11s. 8d. as compared with the previous year. The amount paid in respect of Claims was £878,627 6s. 11d.

INDUSTRIAL BRANCH.—The Premium Income for the year amounted to £2,658,621 19s. 8d., being an increase of £184,505 6s. 9d. over the previous year. The amount paid in respect of Claims was £1,362,317 17s. 7d. These figures include the corresponding transactions in respect of the Sickness Assurance Account.

The aggregate Premium Income of both Branches for the year was £4,221,944 7s. 0d., showing an increase of £338,467 18s. 5d. over the previous year.

The total amount of Claims paid in both Branches since the establishment of the Company is £28,217,204 8s. 3d.

The total assets of the Company amount to £15,981,076 8s. 6d., representing an increase during the year of £1,212,965 7s. 9d.

GENERAL BALANCE SHEET OF THE REFUGE ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,

For the Year ending 31st December, 1918.

LIABILITIES.

	£	s.	d.
Shareholders' Capital, paid up ...	300,000	0	0
Ordinary Branch Assurance Fund..	11,360,222	14	8
Ordinary Branch Investments Reserve Fund ...	395,000	0	0
Industrial Branch Assurance Fund	3,737,033	19	10
Industrial Branch Investments Reserve Fund ...	100,000	0	0
Provision for Income Tax on War Stock ...	88,819	14	0
	£15,981,076	8	6

ASSETS.

		£	s.	d.
Mortgages on Property within the United Kingdom ...		1,945,878	15	11
Loans on Parochial and other Public Rates ...		667,126	0	6
Do. Life Interests ...		8,000	0	0
Do. Reversions ...		10,000	0	0
Do. Stocks and Shares ...		12,600	0	0
Do. Company's Policies within their Surrender Values ...		1,263,143	0	0
Investments:—				
Deposit with the High Court (£25,000 3 per cent. India Stock) ...		20,766	12	6
British Government Securities		5,024,795	12	8
Municipal and County Securities, United Kingdom ...		284,886	18	8
Indian and Colonial Government Securities ...		582,828	6	8
Do. Provincial Securities ...		152,752	9	2
Do. Municipal Securities ...		346,966	17	7
Foreign Government Securities		371,039	8	6
Do. Provincial Securities ...		10,676	2	6
Do. Municipal Securities ...		159,118	9	2
Railway and other Debentures and Debenture Stocks—Home and Foreign ...		2,895,281	1	7
Railway and other Preference and Guaranteed Stocks ...		382,007	10	4
Do. and other Ordinary Stocks		35,196	2	6
Rent Charges ...		68,248	18	0
Freehold Ground Rents ...		9,812	12	3
House and Office Property ...		956,891	0	8
Agents' Balances ...		73,020	15	0
Outstanding Premiums ...	£475,871 7 0			
Less Abatement to provide, inter alia, for Loss of Revenue occasioned by the operation of the Courts (Emergency Powers) Act, 1914 ...	317,053 19 10	158,817	7	2
Do. Interest, Dividends, and Rents (less Income Tax) ...		17,730	2	2
Interest accrued but not payable (less Income Tax) ...		100,397	17	2
Cash:—				
On Deposit ...		217,500	0	0
In hand and on Current Account ...		169,827	4	6
Furniture and Fixtures ...		37,767	3	4
		£15,981,076	8	6

R. WM. GREEN, Chairman.
PHILIP SMITH, } Managing
JAMES S. PROCTOR, } Directors.
ROBERT MOSS, Secretary.
J. PROCTOR GREEN } General
W. H. ALDCROFT, F.I.A., } Managers
HENRY THORNTON, } Directors.
JNO. T. SHUTT,

We report that we have audited the foregoing Balance Sheet, and have obtained all the information and explanations we have required. In our opinion the said Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Company's affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the Books of the Company.

We have examined the Cash transactions (Receipts and Payments) affecting the Accounts of the Company's Assets and Investments for the year ending 31st December, 1918, and we find the same in good order and properly vouched. We have also examined the Deeds and other securities representing the Assets and Investments stated in the foregoing Balance Sheet, and we certify that they remained in the Company's possession and safe custody on the 31st of December, 1918.

WALTON, WATTS, and CO.,
Chartered Accountants.

Manchester, 20th February, 1919.

J. Swift, Inspector for Ireland, 105 Stephens Green, Dublin.

J. P. Doran, Superintendent, 105 Stephens Green, Dublin.

J. Quinn, Superintendent, 105 Stephen's Green, Dublin.

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HOUSES AND LANDS.

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1,034 TREES in LOWER ERVEY WOOD (within seven miles of Londonderry), comprising 461 Oak, 141 Scotch Fir, 255 Larch, 83 Beech, and 94 of various other kinds.

Also, in the NESS WOOD, in same locality, 969 TREES, comprising 675 Oak, 83 Larch, 63 Spruce, 44 Beech, and 104 of various other kinds.

The majority of the trees are of good average quality and size. They have all been marked for cutting, and will be shown by William Stevenson, of Ervey, Cross, Londonderry.

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FIRST-CLASS Up-to-date BUILDER'S YARD and WORKSHOPS, complete, with Carpenters' Benches and Vices, Circular Saw, Spindle Moulder, Emery Grinders, Trimmers, 12 h.p. Gas Engine, in splendid working order, etc.; also Electric Motor Power, first-class Suite of Offices and Stables. The Yard has frontage on two main streets, and is situated in central position in City of Dublin.—P 1052, this office.

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FOR SALE, convenient to Athy and Castledermot, containing 147 acres Statute measure; good Residence and Out-offices, held in fee-simple, subject to a terminable annuity of £68 14/-, payable to the I.L.C. P.L.V., £97 10/-. Apply to

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Pretty, Detached, Cottage-built Houses, each standing on something less than quarter acre. Recently built. Motor garage and all modern conveniences. Long Leases. "St. John's" will be Sold subject to yearly rent of £6 10s. 0d., and "The Bungalow" to the yearly rent of £6 7s. 6d.

Further particulars from JOHN T. DOYLE, Solicitor, 18 Fleet street.

HOUSE, 4 Bedrooms, Servant's, Drawing and Dining Rooms, Bath, h. and c. (modern sanitary arrangements), Kitchen, Pantries, etc.; Stables, Coach House, Garden, and, if possible, 4 or 5 acres land; neighbourhood Celbridge, Hazlehatch, or Lucan; state lowest rent.—"Z 2537, House," this office.

QUEEN'S COUNTY.

VALUABLE GRASS FARM FOR SALE.

A SPLENDID Feeding and Fattening Farm, known as "The Quaker's," situate at Killeshin, Queen's County, about two miles from Carlow Town, containing 117 acres 3 roods and 12 perches, held in fee-simple, subject to an annuity to the Irish Land Commission of £112 16/6.

It is well sheltered, and has an abundant supply of pure water at all seasons of the year.

Offers for same will be received by the undermentioned Solicitor for Vendor.

P. J. BYRNE, Solicitor, Carlow.

VEGETABLE PLANTS.

CABBAGE, delicious Early White Hearting, 1/6; Cauliflower, Early London, 2/6; Brussels Sprouts, 2/6; Lettuce, 2/6; Onions, Giant Tripoli varieties, Ailsa Craig, true, 2/6; Leeks, 2/6. All per 100; post free 9d.

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AUCTIONS.

PROGRAMME OF SALES BY
JOSEPH LOWRY & SONS,
Auctioneers and Land Agents,
KELLS and NAVAN.

WEDNESDAY, 26th MARCH, 1919—At Dunmoe, Navan—Important Sale by Auction of Corn Mill and Machinery, with Farm of Prime Fattening and Finishing Land, also valuable Eel Fishery, at the Courthouse, Navan, for Mr. Joseph Commons, at 12 o'clock.

SAME DAY—At Tankardstown, Navan—Highly important and attractive Sale by Public Auction of superior Farm of Land, with Dwellinghouse and Out-offices, for Patrick Finnegan, Esq., at the Courthouse, Navan, at 1 o'clock p.m.

TUESDAY, 1st APRIL—At Ginnetts and Monenstown, Summerhill—120 Acres Grass Lands and Corn Acres, for William J. Hanbury, Esq., at 12 o'clock.

SATURDAY, 12th APRIL—At Lisnagrow, Kingscourt, Important and Attractive Sale of a Comfortable Cottage, with Two and a half Statute Acres of Land, held free of rent, for Thomas Jackson, Esq., at the Courthouse, Kells, at 1 o'clock p.m.

JOSEPH LOWRY & SONS,
Auctioneers and Land Agents,
KELLS and NAVAN.

COUNTY OF MEATH.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION OF SUPERIOR
FARM OF LAND,
With DWELLINGHOUSE and OUT-OFFICES, at TANKARDSTOWN, NAVAN.

JOSEPH LOWRY and SONS are favoured with instructions from Patrick Finegan, Esq., TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
At THE COURTHOUSE, NAVAN, on WEDNESDAY, 26th MARCH, 1919,
At the hour of One o'clock p.m.,

His Estate, Right, Title, and Interest in all that and those part of the Lands of Tankardstown, containing 50a. 0r. 29p., Statute Measure, or thereabouts, situate in the Barony of Lower Navan and County of Meath.

TENURE.

The Lands are held in fee-simple, subject to an annuity of £30 5/10, commencing on 1st June, 1915, and payable half-yearly to Irish Land Commission, until an advance of £932 shall have been repaid.

The Lands are registered pursuant to the Local Registration of Title (Ireland) Act, 1891, subject to Equities.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

This very desirable Farm is situate about three miles from Navan, four from Kells and two from Ballybeg Railway Station.

The Lands are of excellent quality, well sheltered, fenced, and watered, and are almost all in grass.

There is a comfortable Dwellinghouse and substantial Out-offices on Lands.

The outgoings will be discharged by Vendor up to day of Sale.

TERMS:—One-fourth of Purchase Money, together with £5 per cent. Auction Fees, to be paid at Sale; balance on completion of Purchase. Portion of the Purchase Money can remain out on Mortgage at 5 per cent.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

AMBROSE STEEN, Esq., B.A., Solicitor, Trimgate street, Navan; or to

JOSEPH LOWRY & SONS,
Auctioneers, Valuers, and Cattle Salesmen,
KELLS AND NAVAN.

Kells, 7th March, 1919.

COUNTY OF MEATH.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION OF AN UP-TO-DATE
CORN MILL
AND MACHINERY,
With FARM OF 32 ACRES (STATUTE) OF PRIME FATTENING LAND and comfortable House, with suitable Out-offices annexed; also valuable EEL FISHERY, situate at DUNMOE,
Two miles from the town of Navan.

JOSEPH LOWRY and SONS are favoured with instructions from Mr. Joseph Commons, to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
In One Lot,
At the COURTHOUSE, NAVAN,
On WEDNESDAY, 26th MARCH 1919,
At the hour of Twelve o'clock,
All the Estate and Interest of the said Joseph Commons in

1—All that part of the Lands of Dunmoe, situate in the Electoral Division of Navan Rural and County of Meath, containing 18a. 3r. 32p., Statute measure, with the Corn Mill and Weir thereon, held from John Richard Corballis, Esq., under lease for a term of 41 years from the 1st day of November, 1898, at the yearly rent of £31. The Poor Law Valuation is £30 10/-, of which £3 is in respect of the Eel Fishery; and (2)—Part of the said Lands of Dunmoe, containing 13a. 2r. 6p., Statute measure, also held from Mr. Corballis as a yearly tenancy, subject to the annual rent of £13. The Poor Law Valuation is £14 10/-. There is a never-failing supply of water on all the lands, which are in two adjoining divisions.

The Corn Mill, which is slated and stone built, has three pairs of stones, two lofts, and floor with corn kiln boiler house and sack loft. The Dwellinghouse is slated, has two rooms and kitchen on ground floor, two rooms upstairs and corn store in same range, with good garden at rear. The Out-offices comprise a slated car shed, slated stall, feeding shed, with tyings for twelve cattle, and flagged stables for two horses, with large hay loft overhead; slated fowl house, with loft; galvanised piggery, with loft.

There is a lime kiln and quarry on the lands. The Eel Weir is licensed, and contains two traps, and Eel House, which has proved very remunerative in the past.

The rent, rates, and taxes will be cleared by Vendor to last gale day, and clear possession of the entire premises can be obtained on payment of the purchase money.

Terms—One-fourth Purchase Money at Auction, with Auctioneers' Fees at £5 per cent. Balance of purchase to be paid on date fixed for closing.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

Messrs. JOHN CLARK and CO., Solicitors, 11 Westmoreland street, Dublin; or to

JOSEPH LOWRY & SONS,
Auctioneers and Land Agents,
KELLS and NAVAN.

CLEARANCE SALE OF
FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
Mr. F. McDonald, Deceased, and others,
At 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY,
ON
WEDNESDAY NEXT, 26th MARCH.

Principally comprising:—Three Pianos, by Collard and Collard, Aville and Stuart, and Broadwood; Mahogany Dining Table, pillar and claw base; Pedestal Sideboard, Bookcase and Secretaire, Needlework Screen, in Carved Oak frame; French Clock under shade; Davenport, Smoker's Cabinet, Tantalus, 6 Diningroom Chairs, Check Chair, Armchair, Revolving Bookstand, Hall Stand and Chairs, Typewriter, Mahogany Bedroom Suite, Sheraton Bed, Wire and Hair Mattress, Mahogany Chest of Drawers, Axminster and Brussels Carpets, Hearth Rugs, etc.; Engravings, Paintings, Rubber Wading Boots, Fishing Rod, Game Bag, Gent.'s 3-speed Bicycle, etc., etc.

On View Tuesday Next. Purchasers to pay Five per cent. Fees. Sale to Commence at 1.30 o'clock.

ANDREW J KEOGH,
Auctioneer,
10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY.

IN THE DIVISIONAL AUCTION ROOMS,
8 MERCHANT'S QUAY (opposite Four Courts),
NEXT WEDNESDAY EVG., 26th MARCH, 1919,
AT 6.30 SHARP.
A HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE AND IMPORTANT SALE OF
GOLD WATCHES, DIAMONDS, JEWELLERY, SILVER PLATE, KIRKMAN PIANO, Etc.,
FROM THE FIRST-CLASS PAWN OFFICE,
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Carried on by the late Mr. Borland is offered
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There is a large and varied stock and a valuable connection all over Ireland and parts of England.

Tenders must be sealed and lodged not later than 11th April next with PETER ROWAN, Chartered Accountant, 16 Donegal square, South, Belfast.

The Administratrix does not bind herself to accept the highest or any Tender.

For further information apply to
ASHWORTH, MOSLEY and CO., Chartered Accountants, 16 Donegall square, South, Belfast.
E. S. JONES, Solicitor, 4 Donegall square, North, Belfast.

FOR SALE, PILES AND SCAFFOLD POLES.

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HOUSES AND LANDS.

FOR SALE,
COUNTY OF FERMANAGH.

VERY VALUABLE PROPERTY, containing 370 ACRES, or thereabouts, of the best Land in the County Fermanagh, held in fee-simple, subject to an annual rent of £20 13/4. The Lands are within one mile of a railway station, are well watered, and are in every way in prime condition. On the said lands is a large Dwelling-house recently renovated at great expense, consisting of drawing-room, diningroom, smoke-room, breakfast-room, kitchen, dairies, etc., 8 bedrooms, w.c.'s; ample out-offices, with double yard, all finely built; 7 labourers' cottages and steward's house; house and office houses lit with electric light. There are on the lands about 20 acres of timber in fine condition, consisting of oak, ash, Scotch, and larch. Intending purchasers will be given full particulars and permission to view the premises on application to

FALLS and PRINGLE, Solicitors, Enniskillen.

FOR SALE,

WATERVIEW, PASSAGE WEST, County Cork, containing about 30 acres, Statute Measure. Dwelling House comprises good entrance hall, 3 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, besides servants' rooms, bathroom, hot and cold water, electric light, good water supply, coach-house, stabling, and out-offices. Situated seven miles from Cork, and five minutes' walk from the railway station at Passage.

For further particulars apply to
WILLIAM MORROGH, Solicitor, 45 South Mall, Cork.

AUCTIONS.

McKEOWN, MacKEOGH, & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
4 HAYMARKET, DUBLIN. 'PHONE 3.

IMPORTANT SALE OF LIVE STOCK,
LETTING OF LAND, and SALE OF ROOT CROPS,
BALDUNGAN, SKERRIES, CO. DUBLIN.

WE have been favoured with instructions from Wm. Ganly, Esq., to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the premises as above, on MONDAY, MARCH 24th, 1919, at 1 o'clock p.m., his Valuable Effects, as follows:—3 Milch Cows (full milk), Springer Cow, Stripper Cow, 2 Fat Bullocks, Fat Heifer, 5 2-year-old Bullocks, 3 1½-year-old Heifers, 3 Yearlings, 2 Weanling Calves, 2 Young Calves, 2 First Class Farm Horses, 5 and 6 years old; 2 Farm Carts, 2 Sets Cart Harness, Pierce Mower and Reaper, Spring Rake, Hay Gatherer, Hay Bogie, Chill Plough, Double Plough, Spring Harrow, Zig-Zag Harrow, Horse Hoe, Trap and Harness, 20 Tons Mangolds, 2 Tons Seed Potatoes, in boxes—Epicures, Queens, etc.; Potato Spraying Machine. Also Letting of 29 Acres Prime Grazing Land, 6 Acres heavily-manured Land for Oats, and 3 Acres Prime Stubble Land for Oats.

DISPERSAL SALE.
ROEBUCK GROVE, ROEBUCK,
DUNDRUM.

WE have been favoured with instructions from J. T. Denham, Esq. (having disposed of the interest in his holding), to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Lands as above, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26th, 1919, at 1 o'clock p.m., his valuable Live Stock, Farming Effects, etc., including—Springer Cow, Blood Mare, Half-Bred Yearling Colt, Victoria rubber tyred, Trap (Hutton), Ploughs, Spring Cart, Glass Forcing Machine, 15ft. by 3ft.; about 7 Tons Seed and Table Potatoes (British Queens and Arran Chiefs, grown from imported seed), 20 Tons prime, first quality Hay in Shed; 10 Tons prime Feeding Oat Straw; about 150 Loads Manure, and miscellaneous other farming effects, etc., etc.

GRAZING AND MEADOWING LANDS,
BALLYEDMONDUFF, SANDYFORD, CO. DUBLIN.

WE have received instructions from Mrs. M'Manus to SET BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the LANDS as above, on WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2nd, 1919 at 1 o'clock p.m., 11 ACRES very rich Grazing Lands and 4 Acres prime Meadowing Lands.

JOHN J. McDONALD, Esq., Solicitor, 116 Grafton street, Dublin. 'Phone 34.

MAGNIFICENT GRAZING FARM,
SOUTH COUNTY DUBLIN,
Two miles from Dublin Cattle Market.
Area, 150 Acres; Annuity, £230 to I.L.C.
SPLENDID RESIDENCE and Extensive Out-offices.
Particulars on application.

DAIRYING LANDS BY PRIVATE TREATY.

52 Acres at TEMPLEOGUE; 30 at SWORDS; 23 at LUCAN; 20 at ST. MARGARET'S; 7 at COLLEGE, RATHCOOLE; 13 at KILLEEK, ST. MARGARET'S; 15 at RATHFARNHAM; also 26 Acres very heavily Manured Land for Corn Crop at BALBUTCHER, SANTRY.

GRAZING LANDS.
BALLYFERMOT, INCHICORE.

WE have been favoured with instructions from the Owner to SET BY PRIVATE TREATY 25 Acres Very Choice Grazing Lands and One Acre Prime Land for Corn Crop.

McKEOWN, MacKEOGH, & CO.,
Auctioneers and Valuers, Live Stock Salesmen and Factors,
4 HAYMARKET, DUBLIN. 'PHONE 3.

SALE THIS DAY.
10, 11, 12 BACHELOR'S WALK.
HIGH-CLASS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Cottage Pianofortes, by eminent makers; Clarabell American Organ, 12 stops; Cabinets, Suites, Gilt Frame Mirrors, Mahogany and Walnut Overmantels, superior quality Carpets, Mahogany and Walnut Inlaid Centre and Occasional Tables, Brass Fender Suites, Deep-seated Arm Chairs, Mahogany and Walnut Sideboards, Sets of Dining Tables, Sets of Chairs, Bookcases, Pedestal and other Writing Tables, China, Glass, and Ornamental items, Bedroom Suites, in walnut and stained woods; Single Wardrobes, Pairs of Toilet Tables, Chests of Drawers, Massive Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Superior Bedding, and a large quantity of useful domestic requisites.

JAMES HILL and SON will offer the above FOR SALE BY AUCTION, in their well-known Rooms, on This Day (SATURDAY), MARCH 22, 1919, AND CONTINUING ON MONDAY NEXT, both days at One o'clock precisely.

Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

JAMES HILL & SON, AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, **10,11, 12 Bachelor's Walk.**

COUNTY OF GALWAY.
SALE BY AUCTION OF
CREG CLARE HOUSE AND DEMESNE LANDS,
in Three Lots,
AT COURTHOUSE, GALWAY,
On SATURDAY, 12th APRIL, 1919,
At 11.45 o'clock a.m., sharp.

BY directions of the Devisees under the Will of the late Rt. Hon. John George Barry, Lord Clanmorris (subject to Conditions of Sale).

LOT I.—Part of the Lands of Cregaclare Demesne and Lackan, containing 259a. 2r. 11p., or thereabouts (Statute), together with Mansion House; garden with garden house, vinery, peach houses, etc.; very extensive stabling, coach-houses, garage, laundry, forge, farmyard with elaborate accommodation, hay shed, etc.; beautifully kept terraces, pleasure grounds, etc. Two gate lodges and a large quantity of valuable Timber. This Lot will be sold subject to the apportioned Land Purchase Annuity of £139 15/-.

LOT II.—Part of the Lands of Cregaclare Demesne, containing 106a. 3r. 16p. (Statute), subject to apportioned Land Purchase Annuity of £51 1/2. Valuable Timber thereon, but no buildings.

LOT III.—Part of the Lands of Cregaclare Demesne, containing 195a. 3r. 20p. (Statute), subject to apportioned Land Purchase Annuity of £74 12/6. Neat Cottage on the lands and a large quantity of valuable Timber.

"CREG CLARE," with the garden and pleasure grounds, is well known as one of the most attractive and up-to-date residences in the County of Galway, and is situate within one mile of Ardrahan Railway Station and five miles from "The Kennels," the headquarters of the "Galway Blazers" Hunt.

Private Offers for each lot will be considered by the Auctioneer up to two days preceding Sale.

Purchasers to pay one-fourth purchase money immediately after Sale, with 5 per cent. Auction fees.

Further particulars, Conditions of Sale, with Map attached, can be had on application to

Messrs. WHITNEY, MOORE, and KELLER, Vendors' Solicitors, 46 Kildare street, Dublin.
T. F. RUTTLEDGE, Vendors' Agent, Estate Office, Westport; or from

HENRY G. BLACK,
Auctioneer and Valuer,
WESTPORT.

COUNTY OF MEATH.
RESIDENTIAL FARM FOR SALE.
BASKINAGH, ATHBOY.

T. E. POTTERTON is instructed by R. H. Walker Esq., TO SELL BY AUCTION at the COURTHOUSE, TRIM, on SATURDAY, the 29th MARCH, 1919, at 11.30 a.m., ALL THAT FARM of Land known as BASKINAGH UPPER, situate in the Barony of Lune and Parish of Kildalkey, containing 69 acres 1 rood and 29 perches, Statute Measure, or thereabouts, of arable land—and 59 acres, or thereabouts, Statute Measure, of Turbary attached. The whole held in fee-simple, subject to a terminable annuity payable to the Irish Land Commission of £57 15/2.

The Poor Law Valuation is £62.

There is a modern two-storeyed Dwelling House, stone built and slated, with out-offices on the Farm.

The quality of the arable land is excellent, suitable for either grazing or tillage, and is free from disease, with a good supply of water, and well sheltered.

Baskinagh is situated on the high road between Trim and Delvin, six miles from each, and three miles from Athboy.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

F. C. O'REILLY, Solicitor, Trim, County Meath; or

T. E. POTTERTON,
Auctioneer and Land Agent,
ATHBOY, CO. MEATH.

CO. LOUTH.

IMPORTANT SALE OF STEAM ENGINE, PETROL ENGINE, SAW BENCH AND SAWS, AND DRILLING MACHINE,
AT SILVER HILL CROSS, ARDEE.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at 2 o'clock, on TUESDAY, 25th MARCH, 1919.

ONE FOUR H.P. PORTABLE STEAM ENGINE.
ONE FOUR H.P. PETROL ENGINE.
RACK SAW BENCH, 40 feet, with TWO SAWS, 4½ and 3 feet.
BAND SAW, DRILLING MACHINE, to work Hand or Power.

Machines can be seen at work any day by appointment.

Silver Hill is one mile from Ardee Station, G.N.R.

Terms Cash and Commission.

JAMES MOONAN,
AUCTIONEER, ARDEE.

COUNTY KILDARE.

IMPORTANT SALE OF 100 EWES, with LAMBS AT FOOT; 21 CATTLE, 4 HORSES, CARTS, HARNESS, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, Etc.

JOHN METCALFE (having disposed of the Farm) is further favoured with instructions from George C. Ronaldson, Esq., J.P., to SELL BY AUCTION,

AT COUGHLANSTOWN
(Within a mile of Harristown Station, G.S. & W.R., and 2 miles from Ballymore-Eustace),
On FRIDAY, 28th MARCH, 1919,
At Twelve o'clock.

100 Very best Cheviot Ewes, with Lambs at foot by Shrop. rams. These Ewes are a very superior lot, all fresh from the hills last autumn, and will be sold in Lots of 10.
2 Pedigree Shrop. Rams.
20 Superior 2½-year-old Bullocks, in very forward condition.
1 1½-Year-old Heifer.
1 Excellent Pure-bred Suffolk Farm Mare, up to 3 tons.
1 Half-bred Gelding, 5 years, does all farm work.
1 Superior Draught Filly, 3 years; untrained.
1 Very nice Draught Filly, 2 years; untrained.

Mower and Reaper, combined, by "Massey Harris"; Lever Rake, by "Massey Harris"; Hay Kicker, by "Massey Harris"; 2 Scotch Farm Carts, 2 Chill Ploughs, Three-part Zigzag Harrow, Drill Horse Hoe, Caldwell Hay Collector, 3 Sets Cart Harness, Sets of Plough Tackling, spare Harness; large quantity of Galvanised Iron, in straight sheets; and many other lots of Farming Implements and miscellaneous items.

Terms—Cash. Purchasers to pay 2½ per cent. commission on Horned Cattle and Sheep, and 5 per cent. commission on other lots.

JOHN METCALFE,
Auctioneer and Valuer,
WHITELEAS, BALLYMORE-EUSTACE.

SALES BY
M. DOYLE & SON,
AUCTIONEERS, ATHY.

MONDAY, 24th MARCH, 1919, at Nicholastown, Athy—Nice Holding, with Cottage and Out-offices thereon, held in fee-simple. 15 Acres Statute Rent £9 per annum. Three miles from town of Athy.

WEDNESDAY, 26th MARCH, 1919, at Broomfield, Athy.—A Farm containing 60 Statute Acres, yearly tenancy; rent £19 per annum; good dwellinghouse and out-offices. Within 4 miles of town of Athy.

BY PRIVATE TREATY.—Within a mile of Athy—Farm, containing 100 Acres, Statute, held in fee-simple; good stone buildings and out-offices. Lands in good heart and well tilled. Annuity £67.

TOWN OF ATHY.—37 Acres, Statute Grass Land; never ending water supply. Plenty of shade and shelter; suitable for wet or dry years; held in fee-simple; annuity £42 per year.

Full particulars from

M. DOYLE & SON,
AUCTIONEERS, ATHY.

NETTLEVILLE DEMESNE, KILLINARDRISH, CO. CORK.
EXCEPTIONALLY ATTRACTIVE AUCTION OF AN IDEAL RESIDENTIAL, SPORTING, AND AGRICULTURAL PROPERTY.

WILLIAM G. WOOD and SONS are favoured with instructions to SELL BY AUCTION, on the Lands on THURSDAY, 10th APRIL, 1919, this magnificent Property, comprising 210 Statute Acres, more or less, of the primest Agricultural Land, with splendid Residence and exceptional Farm Buildings, together with about 70 Acres of Valuable Timbered Lands, which afford excellent Cock Shooting, and also the valuable Fishery Rights on about four miles of the very best part of the River Lee, extending from Carrigadrohid Bridge to Rowe's Bridge, on the Demesne lands, and the adjoining lands of Loughleigh, consisting of about 27 acres under water.

The property is situated in the heart of the Muskerry hunting country, and will be found a most unique combination from an Agricultural, Sporting, or Residential point of view.

The entire property is held in Fee-Simple. The Residence, Agricultural Lands, Farm Buildings, and so much of the Fishery as is in Demesne Land are subject to the low terminable annuity of £87 15/- (£47 17/6 half-yearly); the Plantations and the remaining portion of the Fishery being Free of Rent.

The Poor Law Valuation of the Land and Buildings is £248 and the Fishery Rights £50.

The Agricultural portion of the Lands (about 210 Statute Acres) is of the very primest quality and practically without waste, is in a high state of cultivation, having been in the hands of a thoroughly practical agriculturist, and is noted for its excellent cropping and dairying qualities. There are about 15 acres best new grass seeds and about 15 acres second year ditto, 11 acres highly-manured tillage, 22 acres lea stubble, two acres of which will be set with best selected Orange Chief potatoes. Farming operations will be kept up to date by Vendor.

The Timbered Lands, consisting of about 70 acres, afford excellent shade and shelter to the adjoining agricultural lands, and are said to be the best cock covers in the county.

The Growing Timber is also valuable, a lot of which could be cut without interfering with the amenities of the place: it is chiefly oak, with some larch, spruce, and other hard and soft woods.

The Fishery Rights are exceptionally valuable, being amongst the best-known salmon waters on the famous River Lee, on which there are at least 18 first-class pools.

Nettleville House is a well-built gentleman's residence, standing in a beautifully timbered lawn, and approached by a well-kept and tastefully planted avenue, with nice gate lodge entrance.

The view of the surrounding beautiful country leaves nothing to be desired, and the sporting facilities are unequalled. Muskerry Hounds meet regularly in the locality, and exceptional salmon fishing and cock shooting can be had within five minutes' walk of the hall door, and equal distance from the Muskerry Lawn Tennis and Amusement Club grounds. The House contains large entrance hall, drawing and dining rooms, study, breakfast-room, 4 principal bedrooms, dressingroom, servant's room, w.c., kitchen, pantry, storeroom, wine cellar, larder, workshop, etc.; and immediately adjoining the Residence there is a motor house, with pit and water laid on; also dark photographic room, coal-house, paraffin house, dog kennel, and w.c.

There is a permanent gravitation water supply and central hot water heating.

There is also a walled-in fruit and vegetable garden, about three-quarters of an acre in extent, and well stocked with trained and other fruit trees, fruit bushes, etc.

The Farm Buildings, which are situated at a convenient and desirable distance from the Residence, are extensive and commodious and in excellent condition. They include steward's house, stables for 6 horses, stalls for 22 cows, large barn, extensive coach-house and cart sheds, dairy store house, potato house, large lofts, walled-in stack yard adjoining the farm yard, with hay shed. There is also a second yard with extensive accommodation for dry stock and a very large hay loft, all forming a very attractive and highly desirable homestead.

The Residence and Farm Buildings are insured (insurance effected prior to the war) for £2,050, but annual premium is only paid on the sum of £550, an insurance for £1,500 during the currency of the Land Commission Annuity having been effected by the payment of a lump sum in advance.

There are also four labourers' houses (besides lodge at entrance), three of which are occupied by labourers.

No more attractive or desirable property has been offered to the public for many years, and being particularly well circumstanced with regard to buildings, a purchaser could realise a handsome yearly income by sub-letting the residence and sporting rights if he so desires, or a purchaser, requiring only the residence and sporting rights, can readily and advantageously sub-let, sub-divide, or sell the lands without the consent of the Irish Land Commission.

Annuity and rates paid to last gale day. Immediate possession of the demesne, house, lands, and plantations will be given. The fishing rights have been let on lease expiring 1st February, 1920, when purchaser will be entitled to possession.

It is proposed to offer the property in two lots, in which case the fishing rights would be sold as a separate lot; but, if so desired, all may be consolidated and sold as one lot. Suggestions from intending purchasers are invited on this point.

Sale at Nettleville House at 12 o'clock noon. Purchaser will be required to pay one-fourth of the purchase money as a deposit at time of sale.

Further particulars and cards to view can be had from

CHARLES WM. ASHE, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, Macroom; or

WILLIAM G. WOOD & SONS,
Auctioneers, Valuers, and Farm Sale Experts,
79 SOUTH MALL, CORK; BANDON, AND SKIBBEREEN.

COUNTY OF WICKLOW.
SALE OF JAUCE LODGE
BY PRIVATE TREATY.

I HAVE been instructed by the Owner to SELL BY PRIVATE TREATY, JAUCE LODGE, which is situate between Bray and Roundwood, on the Main road.

This nice property is situate in a great sporting district. The Lodge itself contains six apartments, bathroom, and a lot of out-offices, with 11a. 2r. 0p. of very nice Land, all held under Fee Farm Grant, at the nominal rent of £1 1/4 per year. This adjoins the somewhat larger holding of 12a. 2r. 0p. of nice cropping land and grazing land, held as a Statutory Tenancy, at the nominal rent of £3 15/- per year, all forming a neat home at a mere nominal rent. The land is nicely timbered, and the approach to the Lodge is all that can be desired.

The Spring Crops are being attended to by the Owner. Immediate possession can be given.

For price and particulars apply to

JOSEPH KEANE,
Auctioneer,
NEWTOWNMOUNTKENNEDY.

TOWN OF ROSCOMMON.
SALE BY AUCTION OF

VALUABLE FULLY-LICENSED PREMISES, situate in the Market Square, Roscommon, on MONDAY, 31st March, 1919, at 2 o'clock, p.m. The substantial 3-storey premises, recently decorated, containing 11 apartments, known as the "Scotch House," used formerly as a high-class drapery and spirit establishment, with enclosed yard, out-offices, garden, etc., etc.

Held in fee simple, P.L. Valuation £25 15/-. Inspection invited.

For particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to
Messrs. MORAN and CO., Vendor's Solicitors, Roscommon; or to

WILLIAM BLACK,
Auctioneer, Etc.,
ROSCOMMON.

AUCTIONS.

KINGSTOWN.

FORTHCOMING FURNITURE AUCTIONS BY MESSRS. JOHN THORNTON & CO.

No. 9 CLARINDA PARK, WEST.
RESIDUE SALE ON MONDAY NEXT, 24TH MARCH, 1919,
OF USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

Principally comprising: Diningroom Suite in leather cloth (7 pieces), 6 Dining Chairs in same, 6 Walnut Chairs in crimson cloth, Couch in cretonne, Bamboo Settee, Carpets, Mirrors, Pair of Marble Horses, Pictures, Oil Paintings, etc.; Brass Rail Single and Double Bedsteads, Woven Wire and Hair Mattresses, Fibre ditto; MAHOGANY DUCHESS PAIR, in fine condition; Satin Walnut ditto; Washstands and Toilet Ware, Carpets, Fenders and Irons, Deal Tables, American Ladder, Meat Safe, etc., etc. SALE at 12 o'clock sharp. View Morning of Sale from 10 o'clock. Delivery after.

THURSDAY, 27TH MARCH, AT 12.30 SHARP.
No. 5 CLARINDA PARK, WEST.
SALE OF EXCELLENT FURNITURE, PIANO, &c.,

Comprising: Superb Upright Grand Piano, in walnut case; Iron-frame Trichord, etc.; CHESTERFIELD Settee, Easy and Occasional Chairs, Walnut-framed Suite of 9 Articles, upholstered in best Axminster saddlebag; Axminster and other Carpets, Rugs, Curtains, Pictures, Mahogany Sideboards and Cabinets, ditto Dining Table, Falling-leaf ditto, Chippendale, Walnut and Ash Bedroom Suites, Chests of Drawers, Deal Wardrobes, Presses, Fenders, Kerbs, Bedsteads, Hair and Wire Mattresses, Linoleum, Hall Stand, Table, Dresser, Mangle, Chairs, sundry utensils, etc.

View Wednesday, 26th, 11 to 5.

MONDAY, 31ST MARCH.
THE BRITISH RED CROSS HOSPITAL "CORRIG CASTLE," KINGSTOWN.
THE EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS OF THE ENTIRE HOSPITAL,

Principally comprising: OPERATING THEATRE EQUIPMENT, 3 Operating Tables, 1 Trolly, 4 Glass Tables, Irrigation Jars and Stands, 1 Glass Ligature Box, 2 Glass Ligature Jars, Glass Swab Jars, Glass Sponge Holders and Bowls, Instrument Trays, Anæsthetic Table and Stool, Porcelain Troughs and Shelves, Large COPPER STERILIZER and 2 Drums, complete, and Bunsen Burner; Small Dressing Sterilizer, Anæsthetic Outfit, Ether Inhaler, Glass Instrument Case, Gauze Jars, Leech Jars, Hose, COPPER Fittings, Platform Scales, etc., etc.

THE FURNISHINGS OF WARDS AND RECREATION ROOMS

Consist of about 40 Combination Bedsteads, Several Brass Rail ditto, with Woven Wire Mattresses, Stretchers, Curled Hair, Fibre and Flock Mattresses, Bolsters, Pillows, Blankets, Quilts, Sheets, Pillow and Bolster Cases, Iron Folding Basin Stands, large quantity of Enamelled Basins, Ewers, Jugs, Dishes, Trays, etc.; Sofas, Couches, Easy and Wicker Chairs, Carrying ditto, Mahogany Dining Chairs, Tables, a number of Bentwood and Windsor Chairs, Linoleum, Matting, Rugs, Fenders, 42 Deal LOCKERS, Presses, Dressers, Sundry Delph, Milk Pails, Meat Safe, etc.; MAHOGANY BILLIARD and DINING TABLE, combined, adjusted by levers (perfect); TWO HALF-SIZE BILLIARD TABLES (slate beds, etc.); TWO BAGATELLE TABLES, PIANOLA. Also numerous other lots. OUTDOOR EFFECTS, GARDEN SEATS, Lawn-mowers, FOWL RUN, etc., etc. SALE 11.30 o'clock, sharp.

View SATURDAY, 29th, 11 to 4 o'clock. Terms, Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
No. 38 CLARINDA PARK, EAST, KINGSTOWN.

HAVING Sold the Residence, we are further instructed to SELL BY AUCTION, the ENTIRE ANTIQUE AND MODERN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE (mostly of Dublin Manufacture), Waterford Glass, etc., on a date early in APRIL. Full particulars will shortly appear.

JOHN THORNTON & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS, VALUERS, HOUSE AND ESTATE AGENTS, UNDERTAKERS,
46 UPPER GEORGE'S STREET, KINGSTOWN.
'PHONE 79.
R. J. WADDELL, SOLE PROPRIETOR.

PROPERTIES FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY.

GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE, with extensive Out-offices and 500 Acres of Demesne Land, portion prime fattening; well sheltered, fenced, and watered; 30 miles from Dublin. All Freehold.

THREE FARMS, CO. KILDARE, 80 to 245 acres, held in Fee-simple, subject to annuities to Land Commission.

TWO FARMS, CO. CARLOW, 120 to 186 acres, held in Fee-simple, subject to annuities to Land Commission.

FARM, CO. DUBLIN, about 250 acres, with Gentleman's Residence, held for ever, subject to a small head rent.

FARM, CO. WESTMEATH, about 10 miles from Mullingar (Dublin side), with Gentleman's Residence and extensive Out-offices; well appointed and maintained; area upwards of 600; some good fattening land, in suitable divisions; well watered, fenced and sheltered. All Freehold Property.

RESIDENTIAL HOUSES, with Land, near Dublin; Leasehold Properties; small head rents.

WE are instructed to Sell the above Properties by Private Treaty, and, having inspected same, we are in a position to give full particulars as to the quality of the land and condition of the buildings thereon, etc.

GARVEY & GOOD,
Land and Estate Valuers, Surveyors and Auctioneers,
21 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN.

BUNDORAN, COUNTY OF DONEGAL.
HOUSE PROPERTY.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF
THE MOST VALUABLE LEASEHOLD HOUSE PROPERTY AND BUILDING FRONTAGE
EVER OFFERED FOR PUBLIC SALE IN THE TOWN OF BUNDORAN.

WE have been favoured with instructions from WILLIAM McVITTY, Esq., J.P., to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
On FRIDAY, 28TH MARCH, 1919,
ON THE PREMISES, AT THREE O'CLOCK P.M.,

All That and Those, comprising THE PLOT OF GROUND situated at the corner of Main street and Railway road, with the two large and imposing Houses, including corner Shop, presently held as a yearly tenancy terminable in usual manner; and Private Dwellinghouse on Main street, with Bay Windows, with vacant possession, and about 62 feet of the best and most valuable Building Site in Bundoran, extending from corner of Ulster House to the Dwellinghouse in Railway road, on which there is one temporary structure standing at present, with terminable tenancies of £5 per year.

THE PROPERTY is held under Lease on the Scott Estate, 45 years of which is unexpired, at the very small rent of £7 6s. 0d. per year, and the Valuation of the two Houses combined is only £22, leaving the taxes very small.

THE HOUSES are most substantially built, and are long recognised as amongst the premier houses in town, while their situation, both as Business or Letting Houses, may be expressed as the Only Spot which can never fail to be the centre of attraction.

THE BUILDING GROUND may be described as the best speculation in Bundoran, practically on the corner of the Main street and Railway road, where every person visiting the town must necessarily pass. It is the only spot of frontage now left for a range of Business Houses, which, by their position, would command a trade.

Further Particulars and Conditions of Sale from
RALPH HALL REID, Esq., Solicitor, Ballyshannon, having Carriage of Sale, or

P. CONLAN & CO., LTD.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, HOUSE AND ESTATE AGENTS, BUNDORAN

COUNTY OF TIPPERARY.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF
BROOKLEY HOUSE AND LANDS, 224 ACRES,
NEAR TEMPLEMORE.

I HAVE been favoured with instructions from the Rev. P. Finn,
TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
At HAYES' HOTEL, THURLES,
On TUESDAY, 15th APRIL, 1919,
At the Hour of One o'clock (Summer Time).

His Right, Title and Interest in the Lands of BROOKLEY and ARDKEEN, containing 224 Acres and 3 perches, Statute measure, with Dwellinghouse and Offices thereon, held under a Judicial Rent of £190 0s. 0d. a year.

The Lands are of prime fattening quality, and, with the exception of 8 acres, which are in tillage, are all in grass. They are laid-out in convenient divisions, which are well fenced and abundantly supplied with running water.

The Residence, known as BROOKLEY HOUSE, is a substantially-built House, of good elevation, having two storeys over basement, containing drawingroom, diningroom, a number of bedrooms, servants' apartments, etc. It is picturesquely situated in the midst of a fair quantity of ancient timber, and is approached by a nice drive, with a neat Lodge at entrance.

The Auctioneer respectfully directs the attention of the public to the exceptional attractions of this magnificent Residential Holding. The Lands comprise what is, perhaps, the choicest portion of this most fertile part of the Golden Vale. The remarkable fattening powers of Brookley and Ardkeen are well known to the frequenters of the Cattle Fairs of Mid-Tipperary. Brookley House commands a splendid view of these Lands, and of an extent of country abounding in beautiful landscapes. Its situation is most convenient to a number of good roads leading in all directions. It is within three miles of Templemore and seven of Thurles, and a Rural Post Office, Church, Schools, Creamery, etc., are quite near.

A deposit of one-fourth of the purchase money, together with 5 per cent. Auction Fees, will be required from the purchaser on being declared.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale may be had from

Messrs. J. H. MENTON and CO., Solicitors, 9 Fleet street, Dublin; or

TIMOTHY RYAN,
Auctioneer,
ILEIGH, THURLES.

NEWBRIDGE, CO. KILDARE.

HIGHLY-IMPORTANT SALE of INTEREST in LONG LEASE of the FULLY-LICENSED UP-TO-DATE PREMISES, situated in the best part of the town, on the direct road leading from the Railway Station to the Curragh Camp, and on the main road to Dublin, and known throughout the county as "THE CROWN HOTEL," and enjoying a well-deserved reputation for comfort, cleanliness, and good catering.

ROBERT J. GOFF and CO. are instructed by Mr. Edward Gee (who wishes to retire from business) to OFFER FOR SALE, on WEDNESDAY, 2nd APRIL, 1919, at 2.30 o'clock, on the Premises, the Right, Title, and Interest in the Lease of the above Hotel, which is held for an unexpired term of 39 years, and will be Sold Indemnified from all Rent. Application has been made for an extension of the Lease for 50 years.

Inspection at any time solicited. To investors anxious to secure a sound lucrative business, in full working order, and doing a splendid trade, this is a chance seldom offered to the public.

For full particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

Messrs. EDMUNDSON and PARKES, 20 Fleet street, Dublin, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale; or

ROBERT J. GOFF & CO.,
Auctioneers and Valuers,
NEWBRIDGE AND KILDARE.

COUNTY OF DUBLIN.
IMPORTANT SALE OF PREMISES,
Nos. 21 & 23 NEWTOWN AVENUE BLACKROCK,
With the BUSINESS and GOODWILL of POULTERER and FISHMONGER, as a GOING CONCERN.

WE have been favoured with instructions by Miss Anne Moore TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at our SALEROOMS, 33 SMITHFIELD, DUBLIN, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of APRIL, 1919, at One o'clock, the Houses Nos. 21 and 23 Newtown avenue, Blackrock, held under Lease dated the 16th of May, 1906, for a term of 50 years from the 16th day of May, 1906, at the yearly rent of £52 over and above rates and taxes, with the yard at the rear of said Premises, held under Lease dated the 31st of December, 1906, for the term of 50 years from the 16th of May, 1906, at the yearly rent of £12 over and above rates and taxes, together with the Business and Goodwill of Miss Anne Moore, as Poulterer and Fishmonger, carried on under the style of Peter Moore, in the Premises No. 21 Newtown avenue, Blackrock.

The business has been remunerative, and is capable of great development.

Part of the Premises No. 23 Newtown avenue—viz., the shop on the ground floor and the rooms at the rear thereof—are let under an agreement dated the 10th day of January, 1916, to a yearly tenant at the yearly rent of £26, including taxes, payable monthly in advance.

This Sale affords a purchaser the opportunity of acquiring business premises in the best part of the town of Blackrock, which are in good order, and with a good business attached thereto, which has been established for the last 50 years.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

Messrs. H. and W. STANLEY, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 59 Dawson street, Dublin; or to

Messrs. E. & D. CARTON,
Auctioneers,
33 SMITHFIELD, DUBLIN.

STRANMILLIS HOUSE & DEMESNE
AND
VALUABLE BUILDING LAND,
FRONTING MALONE AND STRANMILLIS ROADS, BELFAST,
AND ALONG THE RIVER LAGAN.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at the BELFAST PROPERTY MART, 37 ROYAL AVENUE, BELFAST, on FRIDAY, 28th day of MARCH, at the hour of 12 noon, as advertised.

LOT 1.—STRANMILLIS MANSION HOUSE, containing Entrance and Inner Halls, Double Drawingroom, Diningroom, Smokeroom, Billiardroom, 16 Bedrooms, etc., and Demesne containing 47 acres or thereabouts, with Stabling, Farmyards, and all Workers' Houses, including 2 Gate Lodges.

LOT 2.—20 ACRES OF VALUABLE BUILDING GROUND, with extensive frontages to the Malone and Stranmillis roads, Belfast.

LOT 3.—12½ ACRES OF LAND, with large frontage to Stranmillis road, Belfast.

LOT 4.—UNIQUE BUILDING SITE of 24 Acres along the River Lagan. Held for ever, free of rent.

For fuller particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

J. CHARLEY M'DOWELL, Solicitor, 28 Wellington place, Belfast.
J. ALFRED M'AULEY, Estate Agent, 14 Arthur street, Belfast.

R. J. M'CONNELL & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS, 37 ROYAL AVENUE, BELFAST.

ESTABLISHED 1815. 'PHONES 48 & 49.

BATTERSBY & CO.'S SALES.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26TH.

CHARMING DETACHED RESIDENCE, WITH POSSESSION,

KNAPTON HOUSE, MONKSTOWN.

WE WILL SELL BY AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, THE ABOVE DESIRABLE DETACHED RESIDENCE, conveniently situated, close to tram and train, and containing tiled porch entrance, good hall, double drawingroom; large diningroom, with balcony, and steps to garden; breakfast room, 4 bedrooms, 2 dressingrooms, lavatory, bath (h. and c.), billiard room, well-lighted kitchen, 2 pantries, larder, 2 servants' rooms, and usual domestic offices. Outside there is coach-house and stabling, in enclosed yard; pleasure ground, tennis court, fruit and vegetable garden. ENTIRE STANDS UPON NEARLY TWO ACRES. Held under two Leases for 99 years from 1866 at £40 per annum.

POSSESSION WILL BE GIVEN TO PURCHASER.

Messrs. A. and L. GOODBODY, Solicitors, 24 Dame street.

ALSO, SAME DAY

THE SUPERIOR FURNITURE AND EFFECTS

ALL OF THE BEST DESCRIPTION, AS PARTICULARS SET OUT BELOW.

THURSDAY, APRIL 3RD,

AT OUR SALEROOMS, No. 39 WESTMORELAND ST., AT 1.30 O'CLOCK

AVONDALE (DETACHED)

181 STRAND ROAD, MERRION, WITH POSSESSION.

Situated on the Strand Road, a short distance from Merrion Gates, a position eagerly sought after, and in which a residence is rarely available. Contains 3 sitting and 6 bedrooms, servant's room, bath (hot and cold), w.c., large garden, stabling, and side entrance.

Immediate possession will be given to purchaser.

Messrs. WM. SMYTH and SON, Solicitors, 29 Lower Gardiner street.

PERPETUAL RENT OF £52 12s. 3d. OUT OF No. 1 ELY PLACE. WILL BE SOLD SUBJECT TO £38 15s. 3d.

PERPETUAL RENT OF £46 5s. 4d. OUT OF No. 2 ELY PLACE, WILL BE SOLD FREE OF RENT.

PERPETUAL RENT OF £9 4s 10½d. OUT OF PLOT OF GROUND REAR OF Nos. 1 AND 2 ELY PLACE.

WILL BE SOLD FREE OF RENT.

W. V. SEDDALL, Solicitor, 6 Westmoreland street.

ST. COLUMB'S (WITH POSSESSION), 14 HADDON RD, CLONTARF.

ONE OF THE BEST-BUILT HOUSES IN THE NEIGHBOURHOOD, conveniently situated, close to tram; contains 2 sitting and 5 bedrooms, kitchen, servant's room, bath (h. and c.), 2 w.c.'s; garden. Will be Sold subject to £4 10/- per annum. Lease 250 years. Possession will be given to purchaser.

Messrs. GORE and GRIMES, Solicitors, 6 Cavendish row.

24, 25 NORTHBROOK ROAD, LEESON PARK.

IN TWO LOTS. POSSESSION OF 25 TO PURCHASER. Two excellent Houses in this favourite road. Contains 3 sitting and 4 family bedrooms, breakfast room, kitchen, 2 servants' rooms, bath (h. and c.); nice gardens.

Subject to £10 each. Lease 200 years from 1875.

HENRY G. MORRIS, Solicitor, 16 Molesworth street.

TWO VERY DESIRABLE HOUSES (NON-BASEMENT).

BELMONT TERRACE, 27 AND 29 N. C. RD.

Subject to £5 10s. 0d. each. Lease 470 years, underlet at £70 free each.

Each contains 3 sitting and 4 bedrooms, kitchen, servant's room, bath (h. and c.), w.c., pantries, garden, etc.

These Houses are on the tram line and a short distance from the Phœnix Park.

J. E. MacDERMOTT, Solicitor, 21 Nassau street.

THURSDAY, 10TH DAY OF APRIL

AT OUR SALEROOMS,

No 39 WESTMORELAND STREET, AT 1.30 O'CLOCK.

BUTTERLY ESTATE, DRUMCONDRA

COMPRISING ABSOLUTELY SECURED GROUND RENTS AMOUNTING TO ABOUT £380 PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF ABOUT 100 MODERN HOUSES IN THE BEST PART OF DRUMCONDRA, AS SET OUT HEREUNDER. ALSO

HOUSE PROPERTY AND BUILDING GROUND

IN 17 LOTS.

LOT 1—£59 19s. 0d. PER ANNUM ABSOLUTELY SECURED GROUND RENT,

Arising out of Ardeevin, St. Michael's, 1 St. Michael's Villas, Grace Dieu, and 1 and 2 St. Anne's Villas, Drumcondra. Held for a term of 200 years from 1890.

Will be sold free of rent, indemnified by property of ample value, against the payment of any head rent.

LOT 2—£27 4s. 0d., PER ANNUM GROUND RENTS.

Arising out of Nos. 1 and 2 Belvedere Villas, Sunnyside, Rosebank, and Fernside, Upper Drumcondra. Held similarly to Lot 1. Will be sold free of rent.

LOT 3—£8 5s. 0d. PER ANNUM GROUND RENTS,

Out of No. 2 St. Michael's Villas. Held as Lot 1. Will be sold free of rent.

LOT 4—£52 14s 0d. PER ANNUM GROUND RENTS,

Out of Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 47 and 49 Home Farm road, and plot for erection of Nos. 43 and 45.

Held as Lot 1. Will be sold free of rent.

LOT 5—£47 10s. 0d. PER ANNUM GROUND RENTS,

Out of Nos. 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30 and 32 Home Farm road.

Held as Lot 1. Will be sold free of rent.

LOT 6—£42 PER ANNUM GROUND RENTS.

Out of Nos. 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58 Home Farm road.

Held as Lot 1. Will be sold free of rent.

LOT 7—£50 15s. 0d. PER ANNUM GROUND RENTS,

Out of Nos. 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31 and Coolmount, and detached houses on Achill road.

Held as Lot 1. Will be sold free of rent.

LOT 8—£36 5s. 0d. PER ANNUM GROUND RENTS,

Out of Nos. 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, and 18 Achill road.

Held as Lot 1. Will be sold free of rent.

LOT 9—£50 12s. 6d. PER ANNUM GROUND RENTS,

Held as Lot 1. Will be sold free of rent.

Out of 20 Houses and 2 Plots Building Ground, Arran road.

LOT 10—£12 2s. 6d. PER ANNUM GROUND RENTS,

Arising out of Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 Clare road.

Held as Lot 1. Will be sold free of rent.

LOT 11—BUSINESS PREMISES IN DRUMCONDRA,

Known as No. 1 Clonturk Villas. Held in fee-simple, and sub-leased for 900 years from 1912 at £35 per annum, tenant paying all rates and taxes.

LOT 12—No. 2 CLONTURK VILLAS, DRUMCONDRA,

Let at £34 per annum, landlord paying taxes. Monthly tenancy. Will be sold subject to £4 per annum. Lease, 999 years.

LOT 13—No 1 TO 8 CLONTURK AVENUE,

AND SMALL PIECE OF GROUND ADJOINING NO. 8. All (except No. 7) let weekly. No. 7 let quarterly. Gross rental, £115 8s. 0d. per annum, landlord paying taxes. Will be sold subject to £12 per annum, landlord paying taxes. Lease, 999 years.

LOT 14—LABURNUM HOUSE, RICHMOND ROAD,

Let at 10s. 6d. per week, which is very much under the value. Held with other property for a term of 99 years from 1879. Will be sold subject to £4 per annum.

LOT 15—MOUNT AUBURN, RICHMOND ROAD,

Held in conjunction with other property for 99 years from 1879. Let at £33 6s. 8d. per annum, landlord paying taxes. Will be sold subject to £5 per annum.

LOT 16—NOS. 1A, 1, 2, 3 WATERFALL VIEW, RICHMOND ROAD

Held in conjunction with other premises for a term of 99 years from 1879.

Will be sold subject to £10 per annum.

WATERFALL VIEW, let weekly at	£0	11	6
1a WATERFALL VIEW, let weekly at	0	7	6
2 WATERFALL VIEW, let monthly at	2	13	4
3 WATERFALL VIEW, let monthly at	2	16	8

LOT 17—PLOT OF UNDEVELOPED BUILDING GROUND,

On Clare road, off Home Farm road, comprising an area of about acres r. p. Statute measure, and as suitable for the erection of semi-detached or Villa residences. The road has been made and laid out. There are sites for houses.

Will be sold subject to £50 per annum. Lease, 200 years from 1890.

LOT 18—1 AND 2 HOLYWELL VILLAS, DRUMCONDRA.

Two Modern Compact Houses, subject to £3 each. Lease 190 years from 1895.

W. J. SHANNON & CO., Solicitors, 19 Upper Ormond quay.

THURSDAY, APRIL 17TH.

BAYMOUNT, WITH 1½ ACRES, CASTLE AVENUE, CLONTARF

Handsome Detached House, with garden, tennis ground, and paddock. Telephone. Possession to purchaser. Full particulars will duly appear.

5 SEAFIELD TERRACE, CLONTARF.

Fine Bright non-Basement House, with possession to purchaser. Subject to £6 6s. Lease 250 years from 1899.

ALFRED HENRY, Solicitor, 22 St. Andrew street.

48 FITZROY AVENUE, DRUUMCONDRA.

Neat Compact House, let weekly at 10s. 4½d. Will be Sold subject to 15s. 3d. per annum. Lease 800 years.

Messrs. BROWN & MacCANN, 23 Anglesea street.

£7 10s. PER ANNUM WELL SECURED HEAD RENT

Out of ANNADALE VILLA, Fairview. Will be Sold Free of Rent for Ever.

C. J. REDDY & SON, Solicitors, 35 Westland Row.

FURNITURE SALES.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26TH

KNAPTON HOUSE, MONKSTOWN.

THE SUPERIOR FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

ALL OF THE BEST DESCRIPTION, viz.:—

Rosewood-case Upright Piano, Collard and Collard; Mahogany Enclosed Sideboard, with Mirror Back; Mahogany Bookcase, Inlaid Walnut Marble-top Cabinet, with Mirror Panels; Diningroom Suite, in Fumed Oak, comprising Table, eight Chairs, Sideboard, Dumb Waiter, and Arm Chair, Inlaid Walnut Ormolu-mounted Pier Cabinets, Walnut Oval Tables, Mahogany and Maple Occasional Tables, Marquetry Work Tables, Prie-Dieu and Occasional Chairs, in fine old beadwork; do. Footstools, Mahogany Frame Seats, in Berlin woolwork; Gilt Frame Mantel Mirrors, Gilt Clock and Shado, Bohemian Vases, very fine Copeland China, Hand-painted Dessert Service, another ditto, Axminster Room and Stair Carpets, Oil Paintings, Water-colours and Engravings of considerable merit, Mahogany Hall Stand and Chairs, small Library of Books, fine old Mahogany Bedsteads, Brass and Iron do., Hair Mattresses, Feather Beds and Bedding, Mahogany Toilet Tables, Linen Presses, Repp and Tapestry Curtains, Gasaliers and other important Lots; also Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Moffit Safe, Taylor and Wilson Mangle, Garden Tools, Flower Pots, Glazed Sashes, Greenhouse Plants, etc., etc.

On View day previous 10 to 4 o'clock.

SALE AT 12 O'CLOCK. INTEREST IN LEASE 1 O'CLOCK.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2ND.

LEITRIM LODGE, CASTLE PARK ROAD, DALKEY.

MRS. McGAURAN HAVING SOLD THE RESIDENCE,

WE have been instructed TO SELL BY AUCTION all the Antique and Modern Furniture and Effects, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisements.

BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES, AT 110 GRAFTON STREET.

SALE TUESDAY NEXT, 25TH MARCH,

AT 1.30 P.M. FOR 2 P.M. SHARP.

10 YORK ROAD, RATHMINES, LEASE 600 YEARS,

Head Rent, £7 per annum. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION TO PURCHASER. A GOOD, SOUND MODERN HOUSE, SEMI-DETACHED, two storeys, no basement, bay windows to roof, return building; gas and water; 2 reception rooms (folding doors), 4 bedrooms, bathroom (hot and cold water, porcelain bath), separate w.c.; kitchen, close range, copper pipes; pantry, out-offices, etc.

BERNARD M. O'GRADY, Solicitor, 22 Nassau street.

RATHFARNHAM.

"BARTON," LOWER RATHFARNHAM ROAD,

WITHIN HALF A MILE OF RATHFARNHAM ELECTRIC TRAM.—Detached Residence, approached through lodge entrance and carriage drive. Walled-in garden, good offices. The entire standing in about 23 acres of land Possession to purchaser. Held as to Residence and 12 acres and 27 perches for 496 years from 1792, subject to about £73 14/11, and as to other, 10 acres 3 roods 16 perches, for 100 years from 1832, subject to £20. The residence is a double-fronted, two-storeyed building, over half basement, approached through lodge entrance. It contains drawingroom, diningroom, study, and morning room, five family bedrooms, bathroom, with hot and cold water and lavatory basin; also kitchen, with close range; servant's room, scullery, pantry, coal store, etc. Good out-offices, situated in enclosed yard; stabling for seven horses, coachhouse, harness room, hay and corn loft, dairy, workshop, cowhouse, good walled-in fruit and vegetable garden, also vegetable border. The land comprises 24 acres of ground, part of which has been broken. Purchaser gets immediate possession.

ALFRED HENRY, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 22 St. Andrew street.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

NOS. 8 AND 10 MOUNT EDEN ROAD, DONNYBROOK.

Held under lease for 500 years, subject to £6 10/- each per annum. Possession of No. 10 can be had immediately. Exceptionally well-built, compact and conveniently situated Houses, two storeys, without basement, semi-detached, bay windows side and rear entrances, gardens front and rear. They each contain recess hall door, drawingroom, diningroom, kitchen, with close range, servant's room, and pantry on first floor; on first landing, one bedroom, bathroom, with hot and cold water supply, lavatory basin, and w.c.; on second floor, three bedrooms. Handsome buildings, on electric-tram line. No. 8 is underlet at £70 per annum. No. 10 is unoccupied, and purchaser gets possession.

For full particulars and Orders to View, apply to the AUCTIONEERS; or to

MESSRS. MOORE, KEILY, and LLOYD, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, Molesworth street.

NOS. 18 & 20 SUSANVILLE ROAD, OFF CLONLIFFE ROAD,

DRUMCONDRA.—Held subject to £5 per annum. Modern, well-built two storeyed Houses, without basements, square bay window, French windows to upper rooms, sittingroom, kitchen, with close range, scullery, pantry; first landing, bathroom, with hot and cold water, w.c.; second floor, two bedrooms, gas and V. water. At present let at £28 per annum each. Most desirable house, in great demand.

Messrs. STEWART and ORR, Solicitors, Great Brunswick street.

EXCELLENT HOUSE AND COTTAGE PROPERTY.

No. 4 FISH STREET, NORTH WALL, & NOS. 1, 2, 3, 4, & 5 ALEXANDER TERRACE, ADJOINING No. 4.

Lease 200 years, from January, 1877, subject to £25 10s. 0d. per annum. 4 Fish street contains 6 apartments and basement, with concrete yard and back entrance, and is let to one tenant at 11/- per week. Nos. 1 to 5 Alexander terrace, five modern 2-storey cottages, contain 2 apartments each, and are let at 4/3 each per week.

All the Houses are in good repair, each house set to one tenant, and all have separate yards and w.c.'s. The cottages are entitled to abatement of rates.

W. J. M. COULTER, Solicitor, 200 Great Brunswick street.

49 UPPER MOUNT STREET.—Held for 150 years from 29th September, 1829, subject to £17 10s. per annum, sub-leased to a first-class tenant at £65 per annum, tenant paying taxes. A FIRST-CLASS CITY RESIDENCE, well built, granite front to drawingrooms, containing nine apartments, kitchen, pantries, bathroom, w.c., &c.; deep rear, c.-h. and stabling; frontage about 32 feet, depth about 280 feet; convenient and desirable position, increasing in value.

CATHCART and HEMPHILL, Solicitors, Ely Place.

SALE TUESDAY, 8TH APRIL.

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

MRS. E. M. ELLIOTT, DECEASED.

EXCEPTIONALLY VALUABLE INVESTMENTS IN

FEE-SIMPLE AND LEASEHOLD PROPERTY,

IN THE BEST BUSINESS CENTRES IN THE CITY OF DUBLIN.

TO BE SOLD IN FOURTEEN LOTS.

LOT 1.—£39 16s. 2d. PER ANNUM, PAYABLE OUT OF NO. 22 MOLESWORTH ST. AND PREMISES AT REAR THEREOF IN FREDERICK LANE. Held for ever, subject to £5 3s. 10d., and sub-leased for 99 years from 1899 at £45. Government valuation £100.

LOT 2.—£53 18s. 7½d. FEE-FARM RENT, PAYABLE OUT OF NOS. 1 TO 8 HENRY STREET, Nos. 1 to 16 UPPER LIFFEY STREET, Nos. 1 to 5 PROBY'S LANE, and Nos. 105 to 114 MIDDLE ABBEY STREET. HELD IN FEE-SIMPLE. Government valuation £2,182. Rent paid in one sum.

LOT 3.—£31 15s. 6d. PER ANNUM, PAYABLE OUT OF 85, 86, AND 87 MARLBOROUGH STREET and Nos. 20 and 21 NORTH EARL STREET. Held for ever at Rents and Annuity amounting to £36 13s. 9d., and sub-leased to two tenants at rents amounting to £68 9s. 3d. per annum. Government valuation £423.

LOT 4.—£165 PER ANNUM, PAYABLE OUT OF NO. 19 NORTH EARL STREET Held for ever, and sold indemnified from all rent. Leased for long term, and payable in one sum. Government valuation £140.

LOT 5.—£12 7s. 2d. PER ANNUM FEE-FARM RENT, PAYABLE OUT OF Nos. 15 16, and 17 NORTH EARL STREET and 88 and 89 MARLBOROUGH STREET. Held for ever, and sold indemnified against all rent. Government valuation £400.

LOT 6.—£32 6s. 2d. PER ANNUM FEE-FARM RENT, PAYABLE OUT OF 18 NORTH EARL STREET. Held for ever, and sold indemnified against all rent. Government valuation £150.

LOT 7.—£46 10s. 9d. PER ANNUM, WITH VALUABLE REVERSION, ARISING out of No. 16 NORTH EARL STREET. Held for ever, subject to £18 9s. 3d., and sub-leased for a term expiring in September, 1946 (27 years from September) at £65. Government valuation £95.

LOT 8.—£54 3s. 1d. PER ANNUM, WITH VALUABLE REVERSION, ARISING out of No. 17 NORTH EARL STREET. Held for ever, subject to £25 16s. 11d. per annum, and sub-leased for a term expiring October, 1943 (24 years from October), at £80 per annum. Government valuation £100.

LOT 9.—£50 15s. 4d. PER ANNUM, PAYABLE OUT OF NO. 33 LR. SACKVILLE STREET. Held for 940 years from 1810, subject to £69 4s. 8d per annum, and sub-leased for 880 years from 1866 at £120 per annum. Government valuation £235.

LOT 10.—£11 1s. 6d. PER ANNUM, PAYABLE OUT OF NO. 50 GT. CHARLES ST., DUBLIN. Held in Fee-Simple, and leased for 976 years from 1815. Government valuation £26.

LOT 11.—£11 1s. 6d. FEE-FARM RENT, PAYABLE OUT OF NO. 51 GREAT CHARLES STREET and Nos. 9 and 10 TYRRELL'S PLACE. Held in Fee-Simple. Government valuation £23.

LOT 12.—£11 1s. 6d., PAYABLE OUT OF NO. 52 GREAT CHARLES STREET, Held in Fee-Simple. Government valuation £24.

LOT 13.—£9 4s. 7d., PAYABLE OUT OF NO. 53 GREAT CHARLES STREET, Held in Fee-Simple, and leased for 984 years from 1806. Government valuation £26.

LOT 14.—£45 11s. 2d., PAYABLE OUT OF NOS. 46, 47, & 48 RUTLAND SQUARE, and Nos. 11, 12, and 13 GRANBY PLACE. Held under three Leases for 992 years from 1763 at rents amounting to £18 3s. 0d. per annum, and sub-leased to three tenants for long terms at rents amounting to £63 14s. 2d. per annum. Government valuation £138.

None of the Rents have been made adjusted under the Local Government Act.

For full particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

Messrs. WHITNEY, MOORE, and KELLER, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 46 Kildare street.
Messrs. BAKER, RINGWOOD, and GORDON, Solicitors, 5 Clare street.
Messrs. BENNETT THOMPSON and M'NEILL, Solicitors, 48 Dame street.

SALE TUESDAY, 15TH APRIL.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

11, 12, 13, 14 & 31 PLEASANTS STREET.

SALE IN TWO LOTS.

11, 12, 13, and 14 PLEASANTS STREET, cottage style, two storeys high, containing each 5 rooms and kitchen, with water closet and garden. These houses are HELD FOR EVER, subject to £17 per annum for all. Nos. 11 and 12 are subject, in addition, to a perpetual annuity of £30 per annum. The houses are at present let much under value, at £38 each, save No. 14, of which possession can be had, and for which several tenants have offered a substantially increased rent. WILL BE SOLD IN ONE LOT.

No. 31 PLEASANTS STREET, similar to the foregoing in accommodation, HELD for 900 years, subject, in conjunction with 32, 33, and 34 Pleasants street, to £15 10s. 6d. per annum, but indemnified from £11 13s. 0d. per annum thereof, and sold subject to £3 17s. 6d. per annum. Let under value at £38 per annum.

These houses are excellently situated, within one minute's walk of tram. They are in great demand with tenants.

Messrs. MAXWELL, WELDON and CO., Solicitors, 40 North Great George's street.

No. 17 CAMDEN STREET. REVERSIONARY PROFIT RENT

OF £71 5s. 2d. PER ANNUM, payable out of these well-situated Business Premises, held for ever, subject to £28 14s. 10d. per annum, and sub-leased for 31 years from July, 1906, at £100 per annum. Purchaser will be entitled to this profit rent of £71 5s. 2d. on death of lady aged 91. Tenant paid a fine, and expended considerable sum on repairs. Tenant's lease expires in 18 years, when increased rent could be obtained.

HAYES and SONS, Solicitors, Nassau street.

26 MOREHAMPTON ROAD, DONNYBROOK.

MODERN, WELL-BUILT HOUSE, on tram line, with unusually large garden; tiled porch entrance, tesselated hall, drawingroom, diningroom, study, billiard room, 4 bedrooms, dressing room, bathroom, pantry, with hot and cold supply; scullery ditto; tiled kitchen, close range, servant's room, back and side entrances; electric light.

Held for 150 years from 1881, subject to £6 15s. 0d. per annum, and let to good tenant at £55 per annum, tenant paying taxes.

ALFRED HENRY, Solicitor, 24 St. Andrew street.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

JAMES ROBERTSON, ESQ., J.P., DECEASED.

LA MANCHA, DUBLIN ROAD, MALAHIDE,

WITH 30a. 2r. 26p. OF GROUND, the Residence of the late Mr. James Robertson, well known as breeder of prize Dexters and Kerrys. Comfortable, old-fashioned Residence, in perfect order, approached through lodge entrance, ornamented and sheltered by old timber. An ideal Stud or Dairy Farm. Possession to purchaser (save 8 or 9 acres), of which possession will be given on 1st October next.

This well-situated and valuable Residential Farm is convenient to railway station, and within about eight miles of the City of Dublin.

Held in fee-simple. The lands were purchased under the Land Purchase Act, and are subject to the present annuity of £66 16s. 8d., with decadal reductions, comprising about 30a. 2r. 26p. of first quality land, well fenced, drained, and watered, in perfect condition. The residence is approached through a lodge entrance, and is two storeys high. The external walls are rough-dashed, and the accommodation comprises drawingroom, diningroom, schoolroom, library, four family bedrooms, modern bathroom, fully fitted, and having hot and cold supply; hot linen press, with copper cylinder; kitchen, pantries, etc. Modern sanitation. Portion of the lands, about 8 or 9 acres in extent, are held by the Rush Bulb Company. Possession will be given of this portion on the 1st October, 1919.

The offices, both farming and domestic, are good, sound, two-storeyed buildings, with water throughout. They afford ample accommodation for both horses and cattle. The garden, about 1 Irish acre, is walled in, and fully planted with fruit trees. It has large vinery and greenhouse. The entire land and buildings are in excellent condition, and form a rarely attractive home farm.

Messrs. BENNETT THOMPSON and McNEILL, Solicitors, 48 Dame street.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO., AUCTIONEERS,

110 GRAFTON STREET.

FURNITURE AUCTION NEXT MONDAY, 24TH MARCH,

AT 6 CARLTON TERRACE, UP. RATHMINES,

Comprising:—An exceptionally Fine Collection of Dublin-made Furniture, Sweet-toned Cottage Piano, by the Brooklyn Piano Co.; and General Miscellaneous Effects.

Including:—9-piece Drawingroom Suite, in Red Velvet; 6 Mahogany Chairs, Oval and Burr Walnut Centre Tables; Marble-top Cheffoniers, Arm Chairs, 4-fold Screen, Whatnots, Mahogany Cabinets, Gilt-framed Overmantel Glasses, Mahogany Falling-Leaf Tables, Chess Top Tables, Trio Tables, Brass Lamps, Plush and Lace Curtains, Gent.'s Mahogany Wardrobes, with sliding trays and drawers; Single Mahogany All-hanging Wardrobes, Mahogany Dressing Tables and Washstands, Mahogany Chests of Drawers, Stained do.; Double and Single Mahogany Beds and Spiral Spring Mattresses, Best Curled Hair Mattresses, Feather Beds, Bolsters and Pillows, Bed Clothes, Fenders and Brasses, Pictures and Paintings, Linoleum, Carpets, Dinner and Tea Ware, Hall Stand, Hall Table and Hall Chairs, Butler's Tray and Stand, Hall Lamp, Kitchen and Deal Furniture in variety, Kitchen Tables, Mangle, Dresser, 6 Dish Covers, Pots, Pans, and Saucepans, quantity of good Cutlery, and General Miscellaneous Effects.

Goods on View Monday morning. Auction commences 1 o'clock.

J. F. KEOGH & CO., AUCTIONEERS,

25 BACHELOR'S WALK.

DOCKRELL LIMITED.

FURNITURE AUCTION, MONDAY, 31ST MARCH.

14 NORTHUMBERLAND ROAD.

HAVING LET THE PREMISES, WE ARE NOW FURTHER INSTRUCTED TO

SELL THE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

HOUSE AND FURNITURE FOR AUCTION

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2,

"LARANDA," 63 GROSVENOR RD., RATHGAR,

THE RESIDENCE OF THE LATE A. WILLIAMSON, Esq., Deceased,

In what is probably the most desirable and convenient situation in Rathmines Township, at the junction of and facing up Grosvenor place, and within a few minutes' walk of Rathmines. A WELL-CONSTRUCTED HOUSE, with over-ground basement, and good garden in front and rear. The drawing and diningrooms are particularly fine and pleasant rooms (measuring about 21ft. x 18ft. and 20ft. x 14ft. respectively), with sliding doors and handsome mantel-pieces, and steps to garden; there is also a good breakfast room, 5 family bedrooms, maids' rooms, large kitchen, hot bath (copper cylinder), 2 w.c.'s; pantry, side and rear entrance; electric light. The house is in excellent decorative condition throughout, and is altogether a most desirable property. Immediate possession will be given to purchaser.

THE ENTIRE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE WILL BE SOLD ON THE SAME DAY.

THE HOUSE CAN BE INSPECTED ANY AFTERNOON ON OUR ORDER.

Head rent, £10. Lease 800 years. Valuation, £37. For Conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. TAYLOR AND ROBINSON, Solicitors, 19 St. Andrew street, Dublin.

FURNITURE AUCTION, TUESDAY, 8TH APRIL.

22 NOTTINGHAM STREET, NORTH STRAND.

THE HOUSE HAVING BEEN SOLD,

WE WILL SELL THE ENTIRE FURNITURE,

Including:—Mahogany Sideboard, three Mahogany-frame Dining Chairs, Rocking Chair; various Tables, Bamboo Afternoon Tea Table, Antique Carved-frame Overmantel Mirror, Mahogany-frame Arm Chair, Carved Mahogany Hall Chair, Bamboo Hall Stand; Drawingroom Suite, comprising Settee, Arm, Tub, Ladies' and 6 Occasional Chairs; Inlaid Whatnots, Enclosed China Press, Breakfast and Tea China; Brass-rail Curb and Steel Fenders; Work Table, fine Old Plate Chest; Brass and Iron Double and Single Beds, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Stretcher Bed, Dressing Chest, Mirror-door Wardrobes, Chest of Drawers, Mahogany-frame Toilet Mirror, Mahogany Occasional Table, Press, Chair Bed; Bentwood, Arm, and Occasional Chairs; Washstands, Towel Rails; Lino, Brussels Carpets, Curtains, Pictures; Kitchen Furniture, Kitchen Clock, Mangle; Pair Garden Vases.

ON VIEW DAY PREVIOUS, FROM 1 TO 4.30 O'CLOCK.

IMPORTANT SALE OF GROUND RENTS,

THURSDAY, 10TH APRIL.

DONORE ESTATE.

£39 2s. 0d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF THE SIX HOUSES 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, AND 96 DONORE TERRACE. P.L. VALUATION, £149.

£10, ARISING OUT OF GREENVILLE HOUSE.

£52 10s. 0d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF THE HOUSES 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, & 118 DONORE TER. P.L. VALUATION, £234.

£23 PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF DONORE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, MANSE, AND SCHOOLS.

£101 18s. 6d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF 85, 87, 89, 91, 93, 95, 97, 99, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, & 119 DONORE TERRACE. P.L. VALUATION, £462.

£17 10s. 0d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF 1 & 2 DONORE COTTAGES, AND 1 TO 5 DONORE PLACE. P.L. VALUATION, £89.

£12 PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF ST. MARGARET'S, S.C. ROAD. P.L. VALUATION, £36.

£48 12s. 0d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, AND 82 CHAWORTH PLACE. P.L. VALUATION, £255.

£86 12s. 6d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF THE TWENTY HOUSES, NOS. 1 TO 20 DUFFERIN AV. THE P.L. VAL. OF THIS PROPERTY IS £446.

£88 1s. 0d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF THE NINETEEN HOUSES, 46 TO 64 DUFFERIN AVENUE. P.L. VALUATION, £——.

£21 12s. 0d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF THE SIX HOUSES 1 TO 6 WOLSELEY STREET. P.L. VALUATION, £——.

£21 12s. 0d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF THE SIX HOUSES, 7 TO 12 WOLSELEY STREET. P.L. VALUATION, £98.

£21 12s. 0d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF THE SIX HOUSES, 13 TO 18 WOLSELEY STREET. P.L. VALUATION, £106.

£18 18s. 0d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF THE SIX HOUSES, 19 TO 24 WOLSELEY STREET. P.L. VALUATION, £98.

£10 5s. 6d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF THE THREE HOUSES, 25, 26, & 27 WOLSELEY STREET. P.L. VALUATION, £48.

£45 15s. 0d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF 21 TO 33 DUFFERIN AVENUE. P.L. VALUATION, £256.

£14 8s. 0d. PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF THE PREMISES, 42 TO 45 DUFFERIN AVENUE. P.L. VALUATION, £76.

VACANT PLOT OF BUILDING GROUND IN DUFFERIN AVENUE.

£150 8s. 0d. ARISING OUT OF GREENVILLE TOBACCO FACTORY (MESSRS. GOODBODY), IN DONORE AVENUE.

£20 PER ANNUM, ARISING OUT OF A WAREHOUSE AND FACTORY IN DONORE AVENUE (MESSRS. A. ROBERTS AND CO.).

FULL DETAILS OF TENURE IN FUTURE ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. C. W. REA, ESQ., SOLICITOR, 13 LOMBARD STREET, BELFAST.

THURSDAY, 17TH APRIL.

15 ACRES OF LAND AT RATHFARNHAM DEMESNE,

BEING THE LAST PORTION OF THE PROPERTY NOW REMAINING IN THE HANDS OF MESSRS. BAILY & GIBSON.

LOT 1 WILL COMPRISE ABOUT TWELVE ACRES OF NICE LAND, watered by a running stream and nicely sheltered by good timber. Head Rent, £25. Lease 999 years. On this Lot there is a hay barn, measuring 25ft. x 90ft., six stables, and other out-offices.

LOT 2 WILL COMPRISE ABOUT THREE ACRES OF LAND, and A VALUABLE SAND AND GRAVEL PIT immediately adjoining the main road at the Dodder, and adjoining the gate lodge. Head Rent, £6. Lease 999 years.

LOT 3 IS THE ORNAMENTAL GATE LODGE, in the form of an arch, a beautiful example of classic architecture.

ON THE SAME DAY, THERE WILL BE SOLD AN ENGINE and RACK-SAW BENCH, TWO HORSES, and Miscellaneous Items, details of which will appear later.

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Messrs. BENNETT and SON WILL SELL BY AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, AS ABOVE,

ON THURSDAY, THE 27TH MARCH AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

THE FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS

of Kitchen and Servants' Apartments, Galvanised Iron Bins, Harness Press, Hand Spring Cart, Boiler, Root Cutter, Ladders, Clothes Wringers and Tubs, Poultry, Conservatory Plants, Garden Seats, Tools, Iron Roller, and other Outdoor Effects. ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE. Purchasers to pay Five per cent. Auction Fees.

BENNETT & SON, AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 6 Up. Ormond Quay, Dublin.

THE FINE ARTS.

MESSRS. BENNETT and SON beg to announce that they are favoured with instructions from Colonel G. ROWAN HAMILTON, D.L., to

SELL BY AUCTION, AT THEIR GALLERIES, 6 UP. ORMOND QUAY, ON FRIDAY, THE 4TH APRIL, 1919, AT THE HOUR OF ONE O'CLOCK,

OLD SILVER PLATE.

Including a Plain Octagonal Salver, Dublin, 1706; another with lobed border, London, 1727; Two-handle Cup and Cover, London, 1706; a Punch Bowl and Cover, Dublin, 1699; Pierced Oval Bread Basket, London, 1736; Pair of Tea Caddies, decorated in the Chinese taste, London, 1767; Sets of Three-prong Forks and Rat-tail Spoons, Dublin, 1719; 24 Table and 12 Dessert Spoons, of unique design, London, 1768; an Apostle Spoon, Coventry, 1560-1600; Globular Kettle and Stand, London, 1745; a Plain Porringer, London, 1705; 2 large Circular Salvers, London, 1750 and 1756; Wine Strainer, London, 1720; Plain Oval Tureen, London, 1766; 2 Pairs of Helmet-shaped Sauce Boats; Set of 4 Fluted Pillar Candle-Sticks, London, 1767; a Vase-shaped Tea Urn, London, 1768; Asparagus Tongs, Shell-bowl Soup and Sauce Ladles, etc.

A FEW PIECES OF OLD SHEFFIELD PLATE.

A LOUIS SEIZE OBLONG GOLD BOX, en deux Couleurs, set with 40 large diamonds; AN OVAL ENAMEL BOX OF THE SAME PERIOD, the lid set with diamonds, in floral sprays.

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Including a Fine Portrait of a Gentleman attributed to Franz Hals; a Portrait of Captain Cockburn, by Gilbert Stuart; a Portrait of Andrew Caldwell, by T. Gainsborough, R.A.; a Miniature Portrait of Archibald Hamilton Rowan, by J. Comerford, etc. THREE LOUIS SEIZE COMMODES, with chased Ormolu mounts, which may be viewed the day preceding, and DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES (price 1s. each) had on application.

BENNETT & SON, AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY,

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

LORD LANSDOWNE'S LIMERICK ESTATE.

MESSRS. BENNETT and SON respectfully announce that they have been instructed, on behalf of the Marquess of LANSDOWNE, K.G., to SELL BY AUCTION,

AT THEIR SALEROOMS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN,

AT AN EARLY DATE,

VALUABLE GROUND RENTS & FEE-SIMPLE PROPERTY IN AND ADJOINING LIMERICK CITY,

FURTHER PARTICULARS OF WHICH WILL APPEAR IN DUE COURSE.

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NEXT WEDNESDAY, 26th MARCH.

MONASTERY, ENNISKERRY—For T. Buckley, Esq.—50 Acres Grazing Land in divisions. Sale, 12.30 o'clock.

THURSDAY, 3rd APRIL.

SALE OF FARMS, GARRISTOWN, CO. DUBLIN—For Miss Murray. Lot 1—74a. 2r. 8p., Statute. Yearly Rent, £74 15/-; Annuity, £7 14/-. Lot 2—51a. 1r. 26p.; Land Commission Annuity, £37 14/6.—THOS. EARLY, Solicitor, 6 Cavendish Row.

FRIDAY, 4th APRIL.

AT THE GARAGE, ST. WOLSTAN'S CROSS-ROADS, within one mile of Hazelhatch Railway Station and Celbridge—For P. Young, Esq.—Auction of Motor Cars, Motor Fittings, and Accessories, Oil Engine, Dynamo, Batteries, etc. 12.30 o'clock.

MONDAY, 7th APRIL.

217 BOTANIC AVENUE, DRUMCONDRA—For Administratrix C. Cullen, Deceased—Auction of Milch Cows, Springers, Horses, Carts, etc. Sale, 12 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, 9th APRIL.

DUNSOGHLY, FINGLAS.

WE, having disposed of the Interest in the Farm, are further favoured by J. Carvill, Esq., to SELL BY AUCTION the Live Stock, Farming and Outdoor Effects, Farm Produce, etc. Sale 12.30 o'clock.

FOR LETTING BY PRIVATE TREATY, 7 Acres Prime Second Lea Land for Oats Crop; College, Rathcoole. For particulars apply

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EVENTS OF THE WEEK are accurately Summarised in the WEEKLY IRISH TIMES. Price Twopence, at all Newsagents.

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MACARTHUR & CO.'S SALES

IMPORTANT FURNITURE AUCTION.

NEXT WEDNESDAY, 26TH MARCH,

VALUABLE CONTENTS OF TWO RESIDENCES.

HAVING SOLD THE SEASIDE VILLAS,

3 & 4 ISLAND VIEW TERRACE, SKERRIES,

We have been further favoured with instructions to Sell by Auction on above date the Useful Household Furniture and Effects, chiefly comprising:—

Mirror-back and other Mahogany and Walnut Sideboards, Diningroom Chairs, in Hair and Leather Cloth; Arm Chairs and Couches, in Leather and Tapestry; Mahogany Telescope, Fancy Centre, and other Tables; Overmantels, superior Marble Clocks, Vases, Ornaments, Oil Paintings, Engravings, and Miscellaneous Pictures; Pedestal and Pots, Brass Pillar, Wall, Suspension, and other Lamps; Brass Fenders, Fire Irons, Fire Screens, Coal Vases, Falls and Poles, Mahogany Office Washstand, Chairs of various kinds, including Revolving, Occasional, and Wicker; several Bedroom Suites, Mirror-doored and other Wardrobes, Duchesse Pairs, Marble-top, Camp, and other Washstands; Chest of Drawers, Pedestal and Box Commodes, Toilet Glasses, Towel Rails, Sets of Ware; various Brass and Iron Double and Single Bedsteads; Spring and Hair Mattresses, Bolsters and Pillows; large quantity of Blankets and Quilts, Bed and Table Linen; two Hall Stands, Stair Carpeting, Oilcloth, and Rods; several large Linoleum Squares, Bedroom and other Carpets, Dinner and Breakfast Services, Cruets, China, Glass, Delph, Cutlery, etc.; Kitchen Tables, Chairs, Dresser, two Meat Safes, Culinary Utensils, Mangle, large Galvanized Water Tank, etc.

Sale commencing 11 o'clock sharp.

ON VIEW TUESDAY, 25th MARCH.

Trains from Amiens street Station 7.40 a.m., returning at 5.40 and 8.55 p.m.

PROPERTY AUCTION NEXT FRIDAY,

28TH MARCH, 1 O'C, AT SALEROOMS, TALBOT ST.

FIRST-RATE INVESTMENT,

7, 8, 9 & 10 COURTOWN TERRACE, SUSANVILLE ROAD, DRUMCONDRA,

Off Clonliffe road, between College Terrace and "Donnelly's Orchard," Desirable Modern Two-storeyed Houses of a very lettable class; 6 apartments, hot bath. Let on monthly lettings, one at £35 7/8, and three at £33 7/8, a gross rental of £137 10/8. Lease 390 years from 1915. Ground rent, £16 for entire, or £4 per house. There is an increasing demand for property of this kind in the district, and above lot is recommended as a reliable investment.

PHILIP S. SMITH, Esq., Solicitor, 15 Lower Ormond quay.

5 NEAT COTTAGE HOUSES. PEMBROKE TOWNSHIP.

12A, 14, 16, 18 & 20 JOY STREET,

Off Barrow street, South Lotts road, Ringsend. Nice compact modern, two-storeyed Houses, and having parlour, 2 bedrooms, kitchen, yard, w.c., etc. Let at 7/4 per week each, equal to £19 1/4 per annum, making a gross rental of £95 6/8. Ground rent £3 each. Lease 230 years. Valuation £7 10s each. Pembroke Township Rate. An easily managed and profitable property, being quite new and constantly tenanted.

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NICE MODERN HOUSE. VACANT POSSESSION.

40 ADDISON ROAD. FAIRVIEW,

Good, open, handy position, alongside tram line, desirable modern two-storeyed Residence, front and back parlour, three bedrooms, hot bath, tiled Kitchen, with small boarded apartment off same; railed plot in front, garden at rear, back entrance. Ground rent, £3 10s. Lease 200 years from 1901. Immediate possession. KEYS AT OFFICE.

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SUPERIOR COTTAGE PROPERTY,

10, 17, 18, 19, & 20 SYDNEY TERRACE WEST ROAD, NORTH STRAND.

Off Wharf road. Sale by directions of F. Whelan, Esq., who resides in the country. Attractive Modern Two-storeyed Cottage Houses, 4 apartments, gardens. Two let at 10s. weekly, and three under value at 9s.; gross rental, £122 4s. yearly. Ground rent, £4 each. Lease 900 years. Property of this kind is eagerly sought after, and no better investment could be had.

Messrs. COCHRANE and CO., Solicitors, 18 Harcourt street.

TO INVESTORS, CAR-OWNERS, DAIRYMEN, AND OTHERS.

12 & 13 LEINSTER STREET, NORTH STRAND

Compact Two-storeyed Cottage Houses, let at 7s. and 7s. 6d. Also (with vacant possession), large yard, accommodation for 9 head of cattle, stabling for 3 horses, etc. Ground rent, £7 yearly (entire). Lease 700 years.

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PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

PROPERTY AUCTION, 11TH APRIL.

WE ARE PREPARING A LARGE GROUP OF PUBLIC SALES FOR ABOVE DATE, AND SEVERAL THOUSAND POUNDS' WORTH OF VALUABLE PROPERTY HAS BEEN ALREADY LISTED, INCLUDING PREMISES IN RATHMINES, NORTH STRAND DISTRICT, CENTRE OF CITY, ETC., OF WHICH FULL PARTICULARS WILL BE DULY ANNOUNCED. THE FAVOUR OF EARLY INSTRUCTIONS IS RESPECTFULLY REQUESTED FROM OWNERS, SOLICITORS, AND OTHERS DESIROUS OF HAVING LOTS INCLUDED.

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LETTING OF

300 IRISH ACRES OF PRIME FATTENING LANDS.

OWING to ill-health, Grattan Dunne, Esq., has instructed us to LET BY AUCTION, on the Lands, on

MONDAY, MARCH 24th, 1919,

Commencing 12 o'clock sharp,

300 Irish Acres of his Prime Fattening Lands of Punchestown and Rathmore, about five miles from Naas, and three miles from Blessington, in the following Divisions, for Grazing of Cattle and Sheep, to end of December, 1919:—

	A.	R.	P.		A.	R.	P.
Horse Field	22	0	0	Hill	19	0	0
Herd's House	32	0	0	Long Field	13	0	0
Poor Slang	20	0	0	Gravel	12	0	0
Covert Division	54	0	0	Reask	9	0	0
Bogs	73	0	0	Stonepark	6	0	0
Gate and White-fields	18	0	0	Old Field and Big Lawn	13	0	0

The Lands hitherto have been stocked by the Owner, and at present carry an abundant covering of Grass.

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Particulars on application to

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CARRICK HILL, PORTMARNOCK

WILLAN, a Minor.

WE are instructed by Mrs. Willan to LET BY AUCTION,

On MONDAY, MARCH 24th, 1919, at 2.30 p.m.,

75 ACRES

of the above Lands, in suitable divisions, for Grazing of Horned Cattle and Sheep, to December 1st, 1919.

Terms at Sale.

Messrs. W. MOONEY and SON, Solicitors, 16 Fleet street.

R. & J. WILKINSON,
Auctioneers, etc.,
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FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY large First-Class FARM (about 600 Acres, I.P.M.), with modernly-built Gentleman's Residence, situated in one of the best districts in Tipperary, and convenient to both rail and market town.

This Farm has been worked in the best possible manner for many years, and is in first-class order. Extensive farmyard buildings, with ample stabling for horses, accommodation for cattle-feeding, etc.

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At

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JACOB D. BECKETT, Esq., Owing to continued ill-health, has instructed us TO LET BY AUCTION, On TUESDAY, 1st APRIL, The Lands of above, containing 138 IRISH ACRES, In divisions (123 Acres for Grazing and about 15 Acres Ploughed Land for Tillage), and TO SELL the following Stock:—

48 Fine aged Shorthorn Bullocks;
37 Shorthorn Heifers, 2 to 3 years;
34 Hoggets;
And a Star Chill Plough, almost new.

Areas of the different divisions on application.

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RESIDENTIAL, GRAZING, AND FATTENING FARM.

JOHN P. CUFFE has been instructed by the Owner to SELL BY PRIVATE TREATY 140 Acres Prime Grazing Farm, with Modern Compact Residence, suitable out-offices, garden, etc.; abundant water supply; all in perfect order. Rent £135. Situated six miles South from Dublin.

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